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TO HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Baccalaureate Sermon Delivered by Rev. Ambrose Schmidt

IN REFORMED CHURCH

On Sunday Evening, May 15--The Sermon an Eloquent One, Church Crowded and the Decorations and Music Fine.

A BRIEF SYNOPSIS OF THE SERMON.

Commencement week at the Bellefonte High School, Class of 1904, opened very auspiciously Sunday evening with the baccalaureate sermon delivered in St. John's Reformed church by Rev. Ambrose Schmidt, the able pastor of that church. Every seat was taken and many were compelled to stand throughout the service.

The church was elaborately decorated with potted plants and flowers in great profusion.

At 7.30 o'clock to the music of the beautiful pipe organ played by Mrs. M. B. Garman, the class of 1904 led by Rev. Schmidt and Prof. John D. Meyer marched up the aisle and took seats in the front rows reserved for them.

The musical program rendered was very fine. Several anthems were sung, in one of them, Miss Louise Harper sustained the solo part. The anthem sung prior to the closing hymn was rendered by a quartette composed of Mrs. Schmidt, Miss Harper and Messrs. Philip Waddle and A. Lukenbach.

We regret that space will not permit the publication of Rev. Schmidt's sermon in full for it contained many beautiful thoughts and words of good advice that cannot fail to be a power for good to those who heard them.

Below we give a brief outline of the sermon:

St. Mark 4: 28. First the blade, then the ear, then the full grain in the ear,

Our Saviour was teaching some practical truths and used a seed to illustrate them. Look at the seed. He seemed to say, it is a very little thing but holds within itself great possibilities. Note how it grows. It does not create a single influence or element; all these nature provides. The seed appropriates and thus grows, Education is growth, and we must do the growing. If you want to be a well developed man or woman you must draw heavily on the bank that holds the wealth of the ages. Like the seed you must only appropriate that which is helpful and reject all else. First the blade, the real beginning. Before we can get our diplomas from the University of the world we must pass through many graded schools of life and undergo many test examinations. The result will depend on the beginning we make. Verily this is your seed time of life; this is youth's golden season. First the blade; first the mind growing like a beautiful plant in the garden of life, yet, soon passing on to the second stage of growth, when education takes on more definite form. You now pass out of the freedom of youth into the age of manhood and womanhood. Here is soon revealed how you have been growing. Every man counts one in the school of the world. There are no minus quantities in the arithmetic of the human race. We may imagine that what we say and what we do counts for nothing, but we are mistaken. Next the full grain in the ear, the ripened years, the fulfillment of all that has gone before. Here the the real significance of your class motto is revealed. "Now Videsi Sed Esse" not to seem but to be. If in the earlier periods of life you have been playing a part, this age will reveal it. The husking days come and the husks are torn off and we are seen just as we really are. A truly educated man is not one who has simply acquired a large amount of book knowledge. This is important, but true education means the proper culture of the head, the hand and the heart. These three are closely related and are interwoven like the threads of a beautiful piece of tapestry. As you go out into the world take your consciences with you, be true, be honest, be virtuous, be conscientious in all that you do. Put your individual stamp on all of your labors, and you will make a place for yourself that no one else can fill. Virtue is a chaplet beyond price, it never tarnishes. Above all take your religion with you. You may have everything else, but unless you sit at the feet of the great Teacher, unless you learn to know Jesus Christ as your Inspiration and Eternal Hope, your life will be a failure. And now young ladies and gentlemen, a parting word and I am done, you have finished your studies in the Bellefonte High School. In a few days you will receive testimonials that will give proof of the excellent character of your work. How well you will fill the places in the world in which God in His providence may lead you, remains to be seen, you will determine your future as you have your past. Let me urge you to be faithful, conscientious, honest and pure wherever you go. Let the Holy Spirit be your Guide and Teacher. Let Him shape and influence your lives now, and then, when the day comes for you to graduate from the world's University and to go to meet the great Teacher. He will receive you with the welcome "well done." God bless you through time and Eternity.

HIGH SCHOOL ORATORS.

Junior Class Contests for the Reynolds Prize.

The annual oratorical contest of the Junior class of the Bellefonte High School was held Monday evening in Petrikin Hall which was crowded to the doors with a large and intelligent audience from all walks of life who listened attentively to the exercises of the evening.

The contest was for the W. F. Reynolds gold prizes of $10 and $5 respectively. On the stage sat the contestants, Rev. H. C. Holloway D. D., of the Lutheran church, and Prof. John D. Meyer principal of the High School. After an earnest invocation for divine Grace by Rev. Holloway, the following oratorical program was carried out in a manner characteristic of High school pupils.

Pyramids Not all Ezyptian—Chapman E. Underwood. The Young Engineer—Myrtle E. Barnhart. The Old Musician—M. Louisa Brachbill. The Rosicrucian—Goldie D. Cain. The scholar in Public Life—James B. Harshbarger. Ray's Ride—Mabel E. Wagner. Riot and Revolution—Wm. B. Kuhn. Malbran and the Young Musician—Edna E. Meyer. Our English Languages—Arthur C. Thomas. Hagar in the Wilderness—Mary A. Garthoff.

Each young lady and gentleman acquitted themselves in an admirable manner, showing marked ability in memorizing and delivery. These students were all trained by Prof. Meyer which reflects great credit on his skill in that line of work.

Their productions were of high character and as each one concluded, the effort was rewarded with the liberal applause of the auditors. The Judges were Dr. M. J. Locke, Prof. E. H. Meyer and Edmund Blanchard. When all had finished there was general speculation as to who should get the prize. The Judges retired and after due deliberation returned and Dr. Locke announced the decision. He made a little speech commending the exercises and announced that the first prize was awarded to Miss Edna E. Meyer a daughter of J. C. Meyer, and the second prize to Chapman Underwood, of Unionville. The Judges also made up a purse of $5.00 which they awarded to Miss Myrile E. Barnhart.

Petrikin Hall was beautifully decorated with the class colors and with potted plants and flowers. The music for the occasion was furnished by Christy Smith's orchestra.

Academy Wins at Base Ball.

The Bellefonte Academy base ball nine practised hard and faithfully last week and as a result went over to Huntingdon on Saturday and defeated the Juniata College nine in the presence of a large and enthusiastic crowd of spectators by the score of 11-3.

Both nines played good ball, but the Juniata boys were unable to hit Burns for more than two safe hits while the Academy boys in the fifth inning solved the delivery of the Juniata pitcher and hit him hard for the rest of the game.

"It is unfair to praise the playing of any particular Academy player as the entire team played professional ball. The score was 1-1 at the end of the fourth inning.

The line up was as follows:

Catcher—McCandless,
Pitcher—Burns,
First base—Miller, Meek,
Second base—Ferguson,
Third base—Otto,
Short stop—Sharpe,
Left field—Lauder,
Centre field—Roelofs,
Right field—Leathers,
Sub.—Henry

The treatment accorded to the Academy boys by the Professors and students of Juniata College was very courteous indeed.

DEATH OF E. J. PRUNER

Expired at His Home in Tyrone on Saturday.

A PROMINENT CITIZEN

Of both Centre and Blair Counties Where He Had Large Business Interests--Was Buried in Bellefonte.

A SKETCH OF HIS LONG CAREER.

Edmund J. Pruner died at his home in the Pruner block Tyrone Saturday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock of paralysis with which disease he had been stricken the previous Wednesday afternoon. From the time the disease overtook him he sank steadily with little hope of recovery. The remains were brought to Bellefonte on Saturday evening and taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. Sarah Hoffer from which place the funeral took place Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. There was a large attendance on the part of friends of the deceased. All the organizations to which the deceased belonged sent floral tributes to his memory. He was one of the oldest members of Altoona Aerie No 286. Fraternal Order of Eagles, and a delegation from Altoona, attended taking with it a floral tribute. This committee consisted of W. F. O'Connor, H. D. McCartney, Cornelius Redding and Walter S. Greevy.

Rev. Ambrose Schmidt, of the Reformed church, preached the funeral sermon, taking for his text the 24th Psalm 4th verse, "Yea though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death I will fear no evil for Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me."

Rev. William Laurie D. D., of the Presbyterian church, offered an earnest prayer. "Rock of Ages" and "Thy Will be Done" were sung by a quartette composed of Mrs. J. Calvin Meyer, Miss Henrietta Butts, Messrs. Hard P. Harris and Henry Brown.

The honorary pall-bearers were Richard Roelofs, of Hollidaysburg, S. S. Blair, G. W. Strong, Tyrone; Charles Wilson, Altoona, Ellis L. Orvis, William P. Humes, John I. Curtin and John P. Harris, of Bellefonte.

The casket-bearers were Philip Foster, William P. Jenkin, Mitchell I. Gardner, Frank Warfield, William B. Rankin and Thomas R. Hazel.

The interment was made in the Pruner family lot in the Union cemetery.

Edmund J. Pruner was born at Bellefonte, February 22, 1836 making his age at time of death 68 years, 2 months and 21 days. He was the son of David I., and Sarah (Denny) Pruner.

Peter Pruner, the great grandfather of the deceased was a native of Holland, and settled on Manhattan Island, N. Y., while yet young, removing to Wolf's Store, Centre county, later, where David I. Pruner was born on March 4, 1804. He died in the year 1880.

The subject of this sketch received a common school education, and in 1853 became a clerk in a general mercantile store at Bellefonte, going to Philadelphia two years later, where he remained in the employ of Pomeroy, Lincoln & Company until 1857, when he went to Tyrone, and had been a resident of that place ever since. There he engaged in a general mercantile and lumber business in partnership with Jacob Burley, under the firm name of Pruner & Burley. In the lumber business they ran several portable mills and had large contracts with the United States government and the Pennsylvania Railroad company, their business being very successful. The partnership was dissolved in 1868, after which Mr. Pruner engaged in looking after his real estate, western land and railroad interests. All his ventures proved a financial success, which was due to his own energy and business qualifications. He had for many years been considered one of Tyrone's most wealthy citizens.

In politics he was a staunch Republican. He for many years has had large real estate interests in Tyrone, the most conspicuous and most valuable property being the Pruner block, which is one of the best buildings in the town.

He also had large real estate interests here, owning among other properties the Eagle block. He also owned two large farms in this vicinity one being the farm of the late Gov. Hastings which he only recently purchased from the Hastings estate.

At the organization of the Farmers and Merchants National bank at Tyrone in November 1902, he was elected president of the institution and remained in the place until the present. He was one of the original stockholders in the Northern Pacific railroad and was with it until the road was completed from Duluth to the Missouri river and Bismark, 430 miles west of Lake Superior; but he sold out his interests before the Jay Cooke failure in 1873. He was also interested and was one of the promoters of Kansas railroads. He was a large owner of Pennsylvania railroad stock and other interests. He served a three years' term as burgess of Tyrone just prior to the beginning of the term of the present burgess. He also served as councilman some years ago.

The deceased was never married. Of the large family of which he was a member, but one sister, Mrs. Sarah Hoffer, of Bellefonte, survives. Mrs. Clara Moyer, of Tyrone, and Mrs. R. G. H. Hayes, of Bellefonte, Mrs. William Cowdrick, Niagara Falls; Mrs. Samuel Skene, Pottstown; Mrs. David Achmuty, Albany N. Y., Mrs George Ingram, Bellefonte; Mrs. Watson, Osceola, Mrs. Martin Haines, Rossiter; Mrs. Frank Gilbert, N. Y.; also two nephews, Edward and John, Shrom are surviving nieces and nephews. In the Masonic fraternity he was a member of Juniata Lodge No. 282, and Mt. Moriah chapter, of Hollidaysburg; Kodosh commandery No. 29, Knights Templar, of Philadelphia, and the Philadelphia consistory of Ancient Scottish Rite Masons (thirty-second degree).

OUR BOROUGH FATHERS.

Phoenix Pumping Station Lease is Ratified.

Our boro council held its regular semi-monthly session Monday evening and something unusual happened—every member was present and in his seat when President Jenkins rapped for order.

Clerk W. T. Kelley read the minutes of the previous meeting and they were approved.

Burgess Walker, Solicitor Fortney, Water Superintendent Ryan, Street Commissioner Shaughnessy and Boro Engineer Wetzel were in attendance.

The most important business discussed by council was the lease of the Phoenix Pumping Station. The Finance committee was authorized at last meeting to meet Col. Reynolds drawn up the necessary papers and submit them to council. Chairman Kirk made a report in which he recommended the ratification of lease. This motion carried by a unanimous vote the ayes and nays being called for.

Under the terms of the agreement Col. Reynolds leases the entire mill property to the boro at an annual rental of $1500 a year, the boro to release him from taxes on said property. Out of the first years rental Col. Reynolds is to contribute $1,000 towards the installing of the plant The plant is guaranteed to keep up to 65 horse power and Col. Reynolds is to keep insured. In case of fire rendering property useless to council, no rent is to be charged until it is put back in running order. This is one of the most important acts of any council of recent years and is certainly one that will result in an immense saving, to the boro. The Council and the tax-payers are to be congratulated on the successful council.

Borough Engineer Henry Wetzel submitted draft of Water street, profiles and grades of Howard, South Water and Willowbank streets.

The sale of the old Undine Hose House was held over until next meeting night.

James Solt was exonerated from water tax for the years 1902 and 1903.

Michael Sager was allowed the privilege of water to sprinkle Allegheny street during the coming summer.

Street Pay Roll	40 84
P B Crider & Son	95 16
Police Pay Roll	57 50
McCalmont & Co	15 65
Water Pay Roll	92,00
T. L. Bullock	5.35
W. T. Billibish	2 00
P. R. R. Co. freight	39
J V Bauer	47 00
Total	$355 91

Dr. John M. Anspach Dies.

Dr. John M. Anspach, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, Williamsport, who is well known in this city, died Thursday afternoon, aged 64 years. Dr. Anspach was a frequent sufferer from rheumatism, which was the indirect cause of his death. He was again attacked with the painful malady in February last, which developed into meningitis. Deceased had been a resident of Williamsport for twelve years, and during that time has greatly increased the membership of the church. A wife and three children survive.

LESS THAN ONE MONTH

And the Story Will be Told in World's Fair Contest.

MISS PENNY IN LEAD.

Miss Levy Makes a Big Gain This Week--Bellefonte Seems to be Concentrating its Strength on Miss Levy.

IT WILL BE WARM FROM NOW ON.

Who is going to win the Teacher's trip to the World's Fair? That is the absorbing question just now. It is less than four weeks until the contest closes and it promises to wax warm from now on. Miss Penny of Snow Shoe still leads with Miss Levy, a good second This week she has made a creditable gain on Miss Penny and it begins to look as if Bellefonte people had concentrated their strength on her. Miss Craighead, Miss Neff, Miss Longacre, Miss Heckman, Miss Gertrude Taylor, Miss Brungart and John F. Garthoff all received a good vote from their friends and anyone of them may yet worry the leaders before the contest is over.

The vote this week is as follows:

Mary E. Penny, Snow Shoe	12041
Miss Ella Levy, Milesburg	9698
Miss Bessie Craighead, Bellefonte	4793
Miss Rebecca Heckman, Bellefonte	2115
" Jennie Longacre, Bellefonte	1075
Mr James A. Fiedler, Romola	974
Miss Mabel Brungart, Wolfs Store	978
" Alice K. Dorsworth, Bellefonte	738
Mr. John N. Moyer, Rebersburg	458
Miss Alice S. Neff, Roland	440
Mr. John F. Garthoff, Bellefonte	578
Miss Gertie Taylor, "	309
" Annie L. Daley, Romola	216
" Helen Jodon, Axe Mann	201
Miss Frances B. Elmore, Bellefonte	192
" Jennie Morrison, Philipsburg	169
Mr, Chas. A. Heiss, Bellefonte	127
Miss Bessie Dorsworth, Bellefonte	104
Carrie Weaver, Bellefonte	128
Gertrude Keichline, Pine Grove Mills	14
Mack Fry, Pine Grove Mills	83
Helen Crissman, Bellefonte	19
Mr. W. R. Heaton, Martha	97
" E. A. Humpton, Snow Shoe	66
Maude Zimmerman, Snow Shoe	54
Mr. Gwen R. Warring, Philipsburg	27
Mr. James A. Pratt, Unionville	16
Van Jodon, Axe Mann	15
Isabel Taylor, Bellefonte	16
Miss Alma Pletcher, Howard	32
Adaline Harris, Bellefonte	13
Miss Roda E. Bowes, Pine Glenn	20
Annie Schreyer, Milesburg	12
Mary Underwood, Bellefonte	14
Miss Sophia Thompson, State College	4
" Lula M. Cronister, Martha	9
J. R Williams, Martha	2
Miss Mary Woods, " "	3
Mr. John D. Meyer, Bellefonte	2
Mr G. Earnest Ardery, Martha	7
Robert Wasson, Bellefonte	1
Philip Weaver Bellefonte	1
Grace Mitchell, Bellefonte	10
Mildred Smith, Bellefonte	1
Helen Harper	1
Daisy Barnes	2
Mr Wharton, Bellefonte	7
Miss Annie McCaffrey	2

The following are the rules and regulations:

RULES GOVERNING CONTEST.

FIRST.—The contest is open to any teacher, lady or gentleman, providing he or she is a teacher of a Centre county school.

SECOND.—Three judges agreeable to the candidates will be selected to officially count the final vote and announce the winner.

THIRD.—Matters properly concerning the tour will be settled by the wishes of the majority. The winner shall have the right to name a proxy if unable to attend theirself.

FOURTH.—Only one name can be written on a coupon. The vote of one candidate cannot be transferred to another. Ballots will be placed in the box only by the publisher of the REPUBLICAN and NEWS or by his bookkeeper.

FIFTH.—Voting will commence at once and will close Saturday, June 11, 1904, at 7 o'clock in the evening. Coupons over ten days old cannot be voted. Votes will be counted each week and the totals announced in the Thursday issues of the REPUBICAN and NEWS No coupons will be sold, but to each new or old subscriber paying $1 on either paper will be given a coupon which will entitle the holder to fifty votes if the dollar is paid before the 15th day of April, forty votes if paid between April 15, and May 15, and thirty votes if paid between May 15 and June 11 at 7 o'clock in the evening. For every dollar paid on subscription the subscriber will be entitled to fifty, forty or thirty votes, according to when the dollar is paid

The Bellefonte REPUBLICAN and the DAILY NEWS, both under one management, have decided to make the most generous offer ever made by a newspaper in the history of Centre county. The offer is simply this: We will send to the great World's Fair at St Louis next summer the most popular school teacher, lady or gentleman, in Centre county, paying all expenses such as car fare, hotel bills, and admission to the fair grounds.

Republican-News Voting Coupon.

This Coupon is Good for Six Votes for

World's Fair Tour

MAY 19.

Cut out and deposit in the ballot box at Bellefonte REPUBLICAN office. This coupon is void if not voted within ten days from date.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Held by the K. G. E., in the Lutheran Church.

On Sunday morning St John's Evangelical Lutheran church was crowded with members of Bellefonte Castle No. 357 Knights of the Golden Eagle and their friends to listen to the Memorial Services in honor of the departed members of this lodge.

An excellent musical program was rendered by a large choir, one of the features being a bass solo by Henry Brown.

Dr. H. C Holloway preached and eloquent and forceful sermon appropriate to the occasion. His subject was "The True Knight" and his texts were from James 4: 14; Psalms 103: 15 16: 2 Timothy, 2: 3.

The great benefits of fraternity and the duties of one brother to another were clearly set forth. Many valuable thoughts fell from the speaker's lips and were greatly appreciated by his hearers.

The deceased brothers in whose memory the meeting was held and the dates of their deaths are as follows:

John Garbrick,	July 21st, 1895.
Dr. S. E Noll,	July 28th, 1897.
E. L. Powers,	July 17th, 1898.
John Roundtree,	July 21st, 1898.
Samuel Gheret,	April 4th, 1899.
J. W. Alexander,	September 14th, 1900
A. V. Hamilton,	October 6th, 1901.
W. C. Irvin,	December 21st, 1902.
William Hogarth,	January 3rd, 1903.
C. M. Bower,	April 26th, 1903.
John Anderson,	September 15th, 1903.
Edgar Gheret,	January 23rd, 1904.
W. C. Struble,	March 19th, 1904.
W. C. Bell,	May 6th, 1904.

MRS. JAMES C. CURTIN.

The Sudden Death of One of Bellefonte's Estimable Ladies.

Sudden indeed was the death of Mrs. Josephine Curtin, wife of James C. Curtin, which sad event took place Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock at her home corner of Allegheny and Howard streets. Her ailment was consumption from which disease she had been suffering for several years and although her ultimate recovery was deemed impossible yet her death at this time was entirely unexpected and was therefore a great shock to her family and friends. Tuesday evening she was out calling on her neighbors and Wednesday morning she was up and about the house as usual. About 7:30 she was taken violently ill and in an hour she had passed away.

The deceased was born in Bellefonte May 27, 1850 and was the daughter of William S., and Margaret Tripple. In 1876 she was married to James C. Curtin, who survives her with the following children: Mrs. John J. Bower, Frank and Julia Curtin.

She also leaves three half sisters and a brother as follows: Mrs. J. D. Geissinger, and Mrs. George Karstetter, of Harrisburg, Mrs. Harry Yeager of Bellefonte, and Charles Tripple, of Philadelphia.

The departed had many bright social qualities which endeared her to a large circle of friends who will sincerely mourn her loss. She was a woman of high christian character and an earnest member of St. John's Episcopal church.

The funeral will take place Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. George Israel Brown will officiate assisted by Dr. William Laurie. Interment in the Union cemetery.

—When doctor fail try Burdock Blood Bitters. Cures dyspepsia, constipation invigorates the whole system.

Moran of the Lady Letty

By FRANK NORRIS,
Author of "The Octopus," "The Pit," Etc.

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CONTINUED.

"I did have it—we had it, the mate and I. We triced a sperm whale for the beachcombers, and when they thought they had everything out of him we found a lump of ambergris in him that will weigh close to 200 pounds. Now look here, Charlie. The beachcombers have got the stuff. It's mine; I'm going to have it back. Here's the lay: Your men can fight; you can fight yourself. We'll make it a business proposition. Help me to get that ambergris, and if we get it I'll give each one of the men $1,000 and I'll give you $1,500. You can take that up and be independent rich the rest of your life. You can chuck it and rot on this beach; for it's fight or lose the schooner. You know that as well as I do. If you've got to fight anyhow, why not fight where it's going to pay the most?"

Charlie hesitated, pursing his lips.

"How about this, Moran?" Wilbur broke forth now, unheard by Charlie. "I've just been thinking. Have we got a right to this ambergris after all? The beachcombers found the whale. It was theirs. How have we the right to take the ambergris away from them any more than the sperm and the oil and the bone? It's theirs, if you come to that. I don't know as we've the right to it."

"Darn you!" shouted Moran in a blaze of fury. "Right to it; right to it! If I haven't, who has? Who found it? Those dirty monkeys might have stood some show to a claim if they'd held to the one-third bargain and offered to divvy with us when they got me where I couldn't help myself. I don't say I'd give in now if they had—give in to let 'em walk off with a hundred thousand dollars that I've got as good a claim to as they have! But they've saved me the trouble of arguing the question. They've taken it all—all—and there's no bargain in the game at all now. Now, the stuff belongs to the strongest of us, and I'm glad of it. They thought they were the strongest, and now they're going to find out. We're dumped down here on this God forsaken sand, and there's no law and no policemen. The strongest of us are going to live and the weakest are going to die. I'm going to live, and I'm going to have my loot, too, and I'm not going to split fine hairs with these robbers at this time of day. I'm going to have it all, and that's the law you're under in this case, my righteous friend!"

She turned her back upon him, spinning around upon her heel, and Wilbur felt ashamed of himself and proud of her.

"I go talkee-talk to China boy," said Charlie, coming up.

For about five minutes the Chinamen conferred together, squatting in a circle on the beach. Moran paced up and down by the stranded dory. Wilbur leaned against the bleached whale skull, his hands in his pockets.

"All light," said Charlie, coming out from the group at last. "Him fight plenty."

"Now," exclaimed Moran, "we've no time to waste! What arms have we got?"

"We've the cutting-in spades," said Wilbur. "There are five of them. They're nearly ten feet long, and the blades are as sharp as razors. You couldn't want better pikes."

"That's an idea," returned Moran, evidently willing to forget her outburst of a moment before, perhaps already sorry for it. The party took stock of their weapons, and five huge cutting-in spades, a heavy knife from the galley and a revolver of doubtful effectiveness were divided among them. The crew took the spades, Charlie the knife and Wilbur the revolver. Moran had her own knife, a haftless dirk, such as is affected by all Norwegians, whether landsmen or sailors. They were examining this armament and Moran was suggesting a plan of attack when Hoang, the leader of the beachcombers, and one other Chinaman appeared some little distance below them on the beach. The moon was low, and there was no great light, but the two beachcombers caught the flash of the points of the spades. They halted and glanced narrowly and suspiciously at the group.

"Beasts!" muttered Moran. "They are up to the game. There's no surprising them now. Talk to him, Charlie. See what he wants."

Moran, Wilbur and Charlie came part of the way toward Hoang and his fellow and paused some fifteen feet distant, and a long colloquy ensued. It soon became evident, however, that in reality Hoang wanted nothing of them, though with great earnestness he asserted his willingness to charter the Bertha Millner back to San Francisco.

"That's not his game at all," said Moran to Wilbur in a low tone, her eyes never leaving those of the beachcomber. "He's pretty sure he could seize the Bertha and never pay us a stiver. They've come down to spy on us, and they're doing it too. There's no good trying to rush their camp now. They'll go back and tell the crew that we know their lay."

It was still very dark. Near the hulk of the beached Bertha Millner were grouped her crew, each armed with a long and lancelike cutting-in spade, watching and listening to the conference of the chiefs. The moon, almost down, had flushed blood red, violently streaking the gray, smooth surface of the bay with her reflection. The tide was far out, rippling quietly along the reaches of wet sand. In the pauses of the conference the vast, muffling silence shut down with the abruptness of a valve suddenly closed.

How it happened, just who made the first move, in precisely what manner the action had been planned or what led up to it Wilbur could not afterward satisfactorily explain. There was a rush forward—he remembered that much—a dull thudding of feet over the resounding beach surface, a moment's writhing struggle with a half naked brown figure that used knife and nail and tooth, and then the muffling silence again, broken only by the sound of their own panting. In that whirl of swift action Wilbur could reconstruct but two brief pictures—the Chinaman, Hoang's companion, flying like one possessed along the shore; Hoang himself flung headlong into the arms of the Bertha's coolies, and Moran, her eyes blazing, her thick braids flying, brandishing her fist as she shouted at the top of her deep voice, "We've got you, anyhow!"

They had taken Hoang prisoner, whether by treachery or not Wilbur

"Now will you talk?"

did not exactly know, and, even if unfair means had been used, he could not repress a feeling of delight and satisfaction as he told himself that in the very beginning of the fight that was to follow he and his mates had gained the first advantage.

As the action of that night's events became more and more accelerated Wilbur could not but notice the change in Moran. It was very evident that the old Norse fighting blood of her was all astir—brutal, merciless, savage beyond all control. A sort of obsession seized upon her at the near approach of battle, a frenzy of action that was checked by nothing, that was insensible to all restraint. At times it was impossible for him to make her hear him, or when she heard to understand what he was saying. Her vision contracted. It was evident that she could not see distinctly. Wilbur could no longer conceive of her as a woman of the days of civilization. She was lapsing back to the eighth century again—to the vikings, the sea wolves, the berserkers.

"Now you're going to talk!" she cried to Hoang as the bound Chinaman sat upon the beach, leaning his back against the great skull. "Charlie, ask him if they saved the ambergris when the junk went down—if they've got it now?" Charlie put the question in Chinese, but the beachcomber only twinkled his vicious eyes upon them and held his peace. With the full sweep of her arm, her fist clinched till the knuckles whitened, Moran struck him in the face.

"Now will you talk?" she cried. Hoang wiped the blood from his face upon his shoulder and set his jaws. He did not answer.

"You will talk before I'm done with you, my friend. Don't get any wrong notions in your head about that," Moran continued, her teeth clinched. "Charlie," she added, "is there a file aboard the schooner?"

"I tinkum yass; boss hab got file."

"In the tool chest, isn't it?" Charlie nodded, and Moran ordered it to be fetched.

"If we're to fight that crowd," she said, speaking to herself and in a rapid voice, thick from excitement and passion, "we've got to know where they've hid the loot and what weapons they've got. If they have a rifle or a shotgun with them it's going to make a big difference for us. The other fellow escaped and has gone back to warn the rest. It's fight now, and no mistake."

The Chinaman who had been sent aboard the schooner returned, carrying a long, rather coarse grained file. Moran took it from him.

"Now," she said, standing in front of Hoang, "I'll give you one more chance. Answer me. Did you bring off the ambergris, you beast, when your junk sank? Where is it now? How many men have you? What arms have you got? Have your men got a rifle? Charlie, put that all to him in your lingo, so as to make sure that he understands. Tell him if he don't talk I'm going to make him very sick."

Charlie put the questions in Chinese, pausing after each one. Hoang held his peace.

"I gave you fair warning!" shouted Moran angrily, pointing at him with the file. "Will you answer?"

"Him no tell nuttin'," observed Charlie.

"Fetch a cord here," commanded Moran. The cord was brought, and, despite Hoang's struggles and writhings, the file was thrust endways into his mouth and his jaws were bound tightly together upon it by means of the cord passed over his head and under his chin. Some four inches of the file protruded from his lips. Moran took this end and drew it out between the beachcomber's teeth, then pushed it back slowly.

The hideous rasp of the operation turned Wilbur's blood cold within him. He looked away—out to sea, down the beach—anywhere, so that he might not see what was going forward. But the persistent grind and scrape still assaulted his ears. He turned about sharply.

"I—I—I'll go down the beach here a ways," he said quickly. "I can't stand—I'll keep watch to see if the beachcombers come up."

A few minutes later he heard Charlie hailing him.

"Chin-chin heap plenty now," said he, with a grin as Wilbur came up.

Hoang sat on the sand in the midst of the circle. The file and coil of rope lay on the ground near by. The beachcomber was talking in a high keyed singsong, but with a lisp. He told them, partly in pigeon English and partly in Cantonese, which Charlie translated, that their men were eight in number and that they had intended to seize the schooner that night, but that probably his own capture had delayed their plans. They had no rifle. A shotgun had been on board, but had gone down with the sinking of the junk. The ambergris had been cut into two lumps and would be found in a couple of old flour sacks in the stern of the boat in which he and his men had come ashore. They were all armed with their little hatchets. He thought two of the men carried knives as well. There was neither pistol nor revolver among them.

"It seems to me," said Wilbur, "that we've got the long end."

"We catchum boss, too!" said Charlie, pointing to Hoang.

"And we are better armed," assented Moran. "We've got the cutting-in spades."

"And the revolver, if it will shoot any farther than it will kick."

"They'll give us all the fight we want," declared Moran.

"Oh, him Kal-gingh, him fight all same devil."

"Give the men brandy, Charlie," commanded Moran. "We'll rush that camp right away."

The demijohn of spirits was brought down from the Bertha and passed around, Wilbur and Moran drinking from the tin cup, the coolies from the bottle. Hoang was fettered and locked in the Bertha's cabin.

"Now, then, are we ready?" cried Moran.

"I tink all light," answered Charlie.

The party set off down the beach. The moon had long since gone down, and the dawn was whitening over the eastern horizon. Landward, ragged blankets of morning mist lay close in the hollows here and there. It was profoundly still. The stars were still out. The surface of Magdalena bay was smooth as a sheet of gray silk.

Twenty minutes passed, half an hour, an hour. The party tramped steadily forward, Moran, Wilbur and Charlie leading, the coolies close behind carrying the cutting-in spades over their shoulders. Slowly and in silence they made the half circuit of the bay. The Bertha Millner was far behind them by now, a vague gray mass in the early morning light.

"Did you ever fight before?" Moran suddenly demanded of Charlie.

"One time I fight plenty much in San Francisco in Washington street. Fight um See Yups."

Another half hour passed. At times when they halted they began to hear the faint murmur of the creek, just beyond which was the broken and crumbling shanty, relic of an old Portuguese whaling camp, where the beachcombers were camped. At Charlie's suggestion the party made a circuit, describing a half moon, to landward, so as to come out upon the enemy sheltered by the sand dunes. Twenty minutes later they crossed the creek about 400 yards from the shore. Here they spread out into a long line and, keeping an interval of about fifteen feet between each of them, moved cautiously forward. The unevenness of the sand breaks hid the shore from view, but Moran, Wilbur and Charlie knew that by keeping the creek upon their left they would come out directly upon the house.

A few minutes later Charlie held up his hand, and the men halted. The noise of the creek chattering into the tidewater of the bay was plainly audible just beyond. A ridge of sand covered thinly with sagebrush and a faint column of smoke rose into the air over the ridge itself. They were close in. The coolies were halted, and, dropping upon their hands and knees, the three leaders crawled to the top of the break. Sheltered by a couple of sagebushes and lying flat to the ground, Wilbur looked over and down upon the beach. The first object he made out was a crazy, roofless house, built of driftwood, the chinks plastered with adobe mud, the door fallen in.

Beyond, on the beach, was a flat bottomed dingey, unpainted and foul with dirt. But all around the house the sand had been scooped and piled to form a low barricade, and behind this barricade Wilbur saw the beachcombers. There were eight of them. They were alert and ready, their hatchets in their hands. The gaze of each of them was fixed directly upon the sand break which sheltered the Bertha Millner's officers and crew. They seemed to Wilbur to look him straight in the eye. They neither moved nor spoke. The silence and absolute lack of motion on the part of these small, half naked Chinamen, with their apelike muzzles and twinkling eyes, were ominous.

There could be no longer any doubt that the beachcombers had known of their enemies' movements and were perfectly aware of their presence behind the sand break. Moran rose to her feet, and Wilbur and Charlie followed her example.

"There's no use hiding," she said. "They know we're here."

Charlie called up the crew. The two parties were ranged face to face. Over the eastern rim of the Pacific the blue whiteness of the early dawn was turning to a dull, roseate gold at the core of the sunrise. The headlands of Magdalena bay stood black against the pale glow. Overhead the greater stars still shone. The monotonous, faint ripple of the creek was the only sound. It was about 3:30 o'clock.

CHAPTER X.

WILBUR had imagined that the fight would be hardly more than a wild rush down the slope of the beach, a dash over the beachcombers' breastworks of sand and a brief hand to hand scrimmage around the old cabin. In all accounts he had ever read of such affairs and in all ideas he had entertained on the subject this had always been the case. The two bodies had shocked together like a college rush, there had been five minutes' play of knife and club and gun, a confused whirl of dust and smoke, and all was over before one had time either to think or be afraid. But nothing of the kind happened that morning.

The Bertha Millner's crew, in a long line, Moran at one end, Wilbur at the other and Charlie in the center, came on toward the beachcombers step by step. There was little outcry. Each contestant singled out his enemy and made slowly for him with eyes fixed and weapon ready, regardless of the movements of his mates.

"See any rifles among them, Charlie?" shouted Moran, suddenly breaking the silence.

"No, I tink no hab got," answered Charlie.

Wilbur took another step forward and cocked his revolver. One of the beachcombers shouted out something in angry vernacular, and Charlie instantly responded. All this time the line had been slowly advancing upon the enemy, and Wilbur began to wonder how long that heartbreaking suspense was to continue. This was not at all what he had imagined. Already he was within twenty feet of his man, could see the evil glint of his slant, small eye and the shine of his yellow body, naked to the belt. Still foot by foot the forward movement continued. The Chinese on either side had begun exchanging insults. The still, hot air of the tropic dawn was vibrant with the Cantonese monosyllables tossed back and forth like tennis balls over the low sand rampart. The thing was degenerating into a farce—the Bertha's Chinamen would not fight.

Back there, under the shelter of the schooner, it was all very well to talk, and they had been very brave when they had all flung themselves upon Hoang. Here, face to face with the enemy, the sun striking off heliograph flashes from their knives and spades, it was a vastly different matter. The thing, to Wilbur's mind, should have been done suddenly if it was to be done at all. The best course now was to return to camp and try some other plan. Charlie shouted a direction to him in pigeon English that he did not understand, but he answered "All right!" and moved forward another step so as to be in line with the cooly at his left.

The liquor that he had drunk before starting began suddenly to affect him, yet he knew that his head was yet clear. He could not bring himself to run away before them all, but he would have given much to have discovered a good reason for postponing the fight, if fight there was to be.

He remembered the cocked revolver in his hand and, suddenly raising it, fired point blank at his man, not fifteen feet away. The hammer snapped on the nipple, but the cartridge did not explode. Wilbur turned to the Chinaman next him in line, exclaiming excitedly:

"Here, say, have you got a knife—something I can fight with? This gun is no good."

There was a shout from Moran:

"Look out! Here they come!"

Two of the beachcombers suddenly sprang over the sand breastworks and ran toward Charlie, their knives held low in front of them, ready to rip.

"Shoot! Shoot! Shoot!" shouted Moran rapidly.

Wilbur's revolver was a self cocker. He raised it again, drawing hard on the trigger as he did so. It roared and leaped in his hand, and a whiff of burned powder came to his nostrils. Then Wilbur was astonished to hear himself shout at the top of his voice:

"Come on now, get into them—get into them now, everybody!"

The Bertha's Chinamen were all running forward, three of them well in advance of the others. In the rear Charlie was at grapples with a beachcomber who fought with a knife in each hand, and Wilbur had a sudden glimpse of another sitting on the sand with his hand to his mouth, the blood spurting between his fingers.

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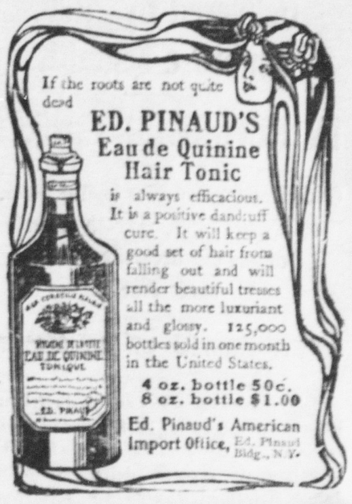

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ST. PETERSBURG, May 12.—3.55 a. m.—Impending events of great importance to the military situation in Manchuria are foreshadowed in official despatches given out late Wednesday night by the war commission.

On May 8 the Japanese forces cautiously moved from Feng Wang Cheng towards Hai Cheng, which is thirty two miles east by north of New Cheng and it is the opinion of the general staff that they should certainly reach their destination within two days. If the Japanese occupy Hai Cheng with Port Arthur effectively cut off, New Chwang, which the Russians have already dismahtled, would pass into their hands. The entire Liao Tung peninsula, in fact save Port Arthur and perhaps Kalping, would be commanded by them.

The satisfaction felt at the re-establishment of communication with Port Arthur is increased by the knowledge that a train-load of ammunition has been safely delivered to the fortress. This was done in the presence of the enemy's army which landed at Pitsewo and which is apparently on the eve of being reinforced by another division on board thirty transports now lying off Port Adams.

The troops sent by General Kuroki to the southwest of Feng Wang Cheng which it is established, do not belong to a third army, none having landed at Takushan, crossed the Tsyang river May 5, and should by this time be operating in the Liao Tung peninsula provided they continued, as is regarded probable, the plan being to complete the mastery of Southern Manchuria.

Besides acting energetically in southern Manchuria and moving on Hai Chang, General Kuroki kept in mind the necessity of our flanking General Kuropatkin at Liao Yang, as is shown in the fact that on the morning of May 10 he started formidable force, consisting of a division of infantry and forty guns and fifteen hundred cavalry toward Saimatal (Salmadza?)

In view of General Kuropatkin's statement that an examination on May 10 of the line between Saimatal and Feng Weng Cheng failed to follow the presence of Japanese, the authorities are puzzled as to where the Japanese force came from.

A Japanese regiment is reported officially to have occupied Kwan Tein Sien on May 6, but it is believed likely to be a small scouting party belonging to General Kuroki's army.

The authorities are looking with considerable philosophy on the division by General Kuroki of his army into three separate commands, for they expect General Kuropatkin promptly to take advantage of the numerical inferiority of the enemy.

The fact that it was considered necessary to sent a train-load of ammunition to Port Arthur has aroused comment and it is accepted in certain quarters as an indication that the Russians have not sufficient supplies of war material there.

The Associated Press has received the following assurance from a member of the General Staff.

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Care of the Hands, the Hair. The Injury Resulting to These From Carelessness in Keeping Them in Order After out-door Exercise.

BY CHRISTINE TERHUNE HERRICK,
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No woman who wishes to be attractive in appearance can afford to neglect details. And every woman should wish to be attractive. She fails of part of her mission in life when she ceases to please the eye. She may be useful,—she should be useful,—but she should also be ornamental if she can compass it.

Even if a woman cannot make of herself a radiant beauty, she can see to it that the minor points of charm are not neglected. She can be absolutely neat, and that is a charm in itself. She can take such pains with her hair that if it is not naturally beautiful it can yet look well. She may not be able to alter the shape of her hands or to keep them always soft and white. But the skin may be smooth, and the nails well cared for. All these little items take time, but they are like some other things of which we have spoken in these papers. It is a tedious business to get them into good condition after they have been suffered to become neglected, but it is a trifling matter to keep them in good order, when they once look well.

There are many causes for carelessness of details. We all know what they are and some yield to one variety, some to another. One woman, who does her own housework, will tell you that her hair gets rough and unkempt because she has to sweep and dust and take care of fires. Even if she protects her hair with a cap, it becomes damp from prespiration and the dust settles into it and makes it harsh and unmanageable. Her hands must go into all sorts of work, and show the marks of it. Using a broom spreads them out of shape, washing dishes and peeling vegetables soils and discolours them.

The girl who indulges in outdoor sports arrives at the same results, but by a different method. After a day spent on her wheel or on the links she will concede nothing to the housekeeping woman for the dampness and dustiness of her hair, and she will claim that the effect of the sun and the wind, the oar, the golf stick or tennis racket is as deleterious to the whiteness and shapeliness of her hands as any amount of domestic work.

We may grant the argument in either case. That is, we will allow that there is sufficient cause for the hair and hands getting into bad shape. But is there any good reason why they should be allowed to remain so?

Take first the case of the working woman. Her arguments to the contrary notwithstanding, she is very foolish when she does not make a practice of wearing a cap about her dusty work. It should be of some thin wash material, which can be easily laundered, and it should be made in a way that is pleasing. She owes that to the people about her as well as to herself. The cap worn by babies' nurses is a fair model, as it covers the locks completely, and when finished with a frill at the edge is not unbecoming.

This cap, while it may protect the hair from dust does not, of course, save it from the effect of prespiration. To avoid the evil effects of this, so far as may be, the hair should be loosely put up when it is dressed and should be shaken out and allowed to dry at night time,—not done up in a hard knot. It should be washed at least twice a month, except in very cold weather,—and should not be submitted to the harsh discipline of hot curling irons. This may seem a hard saying, to the woman whose hair grows stringy from heat, whether she rides a wheel plays an outdoor game or wields a broom or a flat iron,—and perhaps it would be a mistake to insist too strongly upon it. If a woman thinks she gets enough attractiveness from the curling tongs to make up for the damage she probably does by the process, it ill becomes any woman whose hair curls naturally to expostulate with her. And it must be owned that in many cases the difference in appearance between straight and waved locks is enough to make up for the trouble and time expended in achieving the latter.

"I would gladly give ten years of my life to get curly hair," announced a woman, who when some one protested, she went on calmly. "That would probably be less than I shall give first and last to curling it with the tongs."

Even the curling tongs are better than the wearing of curl-papers or curling kids about the house in the day time. If a woman wears the protecting cap she may conceal these abominations beneath it,—and this is as strong an argument as one can advance in favor of the cap.

The girl who does outdoor things does not have the way made as easy for her so far as her hair is concerned. Now that the custom has arisen of going bareheaded, the hair is said to be more luxuriant than when it was kept under a close hat. This is probably true. But while one may pardon dishevelled tresses in a girl flying down against the wind on a wheel or on horseback, or driving her ball across the golf course or over a tennis net, that does not excuse her appearance in the same trim,—or lack of trim, in the house. When she comes back from her outdoor sports she should get herself into the guise of a well brought up young woman and not of a hoyden.

The outdoor girl, too, should wash her hair twice a month. Not with strong detergents but with a rational shampoo, —an egg shampoo is the best. The egg, —the white and yolk mixed together, is to be applied to the scalp and the hair, and then washed off with a little green soap dissolved in warm water. This process over, fresh water must be used and not until the water runs clear from the hair, proving that all other applications have been rinsed out, are the tresses in a state to be dried.

The care of the hands consists in prevention more than in cure. The housekeeper may declare that it is impossible to wash dishes, sweep and do similar tasks with gloves on. In that case it is well to quote to her the remark of the French lover, when his well beloved had demanded a difficult act from him. "Madame, the thing is impossible,—therefore it shall be done." A little practice will prove to her that it is by no means impossible.

If she shrinks from wearing the rubber gloves that come for such use, let her take a pair of old gloves belonging to a man of the house, cut off the finger tips, stitch the ends of the seams so that they will not ravel out and put these glove into service to protect her hands. The worst soil will be kept from them, as will be the chapping that is the result of plunging the hands first into hot water and then into cold.

But there are other means of taking care of the hands. Always there should be close by the wash basin a bottle of glycerine and rose water or of some other preparation which will whiten and soften the skin and this should be used whenever the hands are washed. There should be a lemon with which to take stains from the fingers, a bit of pumice stone to remove those that are more obstinate. The housekeeper should know that the fumes of a lighted sulphur match will take out the stains made by hulling strawberries, and that one can restore hands that are sodden after holding them in hot water by putting them in vinegar for a few minutes. There should be an orange stick at hand to clean the finger nails and a little powdered pumice stone for the worst stains under the nails.

The woman who stays in the house has really an easier time keeping her hands in order than does the outdoor woman,—although the latter wins so much by her fresh air habits that she should be willing to have more trouble for the sake of them. She too may wear gloves,—but she does not, as a rule. On the contrary, the ambition of the present day women seems to be to get not only her hands but her arms and neck as brown as the circumstances will permit. It may be a sensible fad, but it does not conduce to charm. There seems to be no good reason why a woman should not keep her complexion and her health at the same time. It is not much of a bondage to put a little cold cream and powder on one's face before one goes out for a spin or a game, and to make an application of the same sort after one returns. It is certainly better than a peeled nose and blistered cheeks.

Now that every woman, practically, is riding a wheel, it behooves women kind in general to give some thought to the care of the skin if we would not have a set of girls with much injured complexions.

"There isn't a complexion in the state of Texas." I heard stated one day. The harsh winds, the hot sun accounts for that But there is no reason why girls in other parts of the Union should impose upon themselves Texas conditions. They must ride wheels, they must take other forms of outdoor exercise. But why should they not at the same time indulge in a few simple precautions which will enable them to keep their good looks past their first youth?

Suggestions have already been given as to the protection that may be accorded the complexion if the girl who is going to expose herself to the sun and wind will apply a little,—a very little,—cold cream to the face and then dust it with powder before she mounts her wheel or starts for her other out-door sport. This application may be wiped from the skin when she comes home and with it will come the dust that has settled on the face.

The girl who lives in the open air all day should do a few things to her face and hands when she goes to bed at night. She should wash them in warm water, dry them with a soft cloth and put on some sort of a cold cream or other good unguent. Not enough to make the skin so tender that it will chap and burn the more readily. There are good preparations on the market that will not soften the skin too much. After the cold cream has been left on a few minutes it should be wiped from the face with a soft cloth. With the cream will come the dust that has sifted into the pores during the day. Then the face should be washed again, and dried once more. The hands should be covered with gloves at night, if those are worn during the day. But there is no use in going barehanded in the hot sun all day and then sleeping in gloves at night, It only makes the skin more tender and more ready to burn and tan.

The nails should never be neglected, It is not enough to keep them merely clean. They should be well trimmed, the skin pushed down from the base of the nail. They should not be allowed to remain stained and if they are blunted or broken in irregular fashion they should be filed into shape. On such little points as the care of the nails and the hair depends much of the charm and the ladylike aspect of the woman, young or old.

ELOPED WITH HIS MOTHER-IN-LAW.

Puzzling Complications Presented by a Reynoldsville Man's Escapade

Reynoldsville is all agog because a man of that place has married his mother-in-law. The fact that the couple eloped has added further spice to the affair. The man with the hardihood to defy all precedents established by the jokesmiths and vow at the altar to love and cherish for all time the maternal ancestor of his wife, is Elmer Hyatt, a fireman employed on the R. and F. C. road. It is said to have been a case of love, not exactly on first sight, but very near it. The members of the family do not take kindly to the mixup in their relationships and the hardly know whether Hyatt has ceased to be their brother-in law and is now their step-father or whether he is both. The first Mrs. Hyatt is now the step-daughter of her former husband. The happy groom is also his own father-in-law. Several other puzzling combinations are presented, which can only be unraveled by an expert.

ELAINE, ROZE'S NEW YORK LETTER.

The Hygienic Value of Scents. An Exquisite Toilet Accessory. Abdominal Breathing the Fashion.

The nine gored skirt is still in favor, and in truth many of last year's designs are included in the style of this year. For practical purposes the skirt is short enough to clear the ground satisfactorily. For ordinary wear the skirt is long, but does not have a train, and while it is wide; it is so well cut that it can be held up easily in the street.

The nine gored skirt on the left in my illustration exemplifies this popular skirt, with which is worn a picturesque little bolero with the prevailing deep shoulder cape, resulting in a happy mingling of the picturesque and practical.

All attempts at exaggeration in modes, wether in hats or in dress this season will be failures. The present idea of dress

is moderation, while there is a tendency towards the fitted bodice, the comfortable blouse will be by no means ousted, although the very "baggy" blouse is a thing of the past. The fitted bodice is as yet a draped affair, with no darts, and comes to a point in front below the waist line.

While the fitted bodice lends itself rather more to enhance the charms of milady of plump figure than those of her more slender sister, embonpoint is even more to be shunned than when the baggy blouse took from the apparent size. Apropos of the subject of superfluous flesh which seems to absorb so much interest, the most reasonable and intelligent women are taking lessons in abdominal breathing, and at the same time wearing a corset, such as the C B a la Spirite which permits of breathing without constraint, thus facilitating the working of the digestive organs and the circulation. Undoubtedly abdominal breathing reduces the abdomen and throws the cheste forward, strengthening the lungs.

To sum up, we live in an age of refinement, education, and what is better than all, common sense. Proper breathing, plenty of exercise, and hygienic surroundings are the order of the day, and judging from the keen interest that is now being taken in the question of scents and extracts, the first decade of the new century will see the use of them more and more, for hygienic reasons as well as for a pleasant luxury. Comparatively few new perfumes have been added to those available for extracts during the last four or five decades, but far away the most widely sold and appreciated scent of the present day is the delicate fragrance of the new Enigma of Lubin of Paris. Adopted by the most refined and fastidious men and women, Enigma is the greatest of Lubin's many triumphs.

ELAINE ROZE.

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CHEERFUL WOMEN.

How to Keep Happy.

DESPONDENCY is a thing of evil origin and evil results. Worry produces nothing but wrinkles and wretchedness. Let the reader put up a little note on her bureau, on her desk, and at the head of her bed, just two words, DON'T WORRY. Worry is the greatest foe to the happiness of any household. An anxious, despondent face, a fretful, complaining voice, will make every one uncomfortable.

A woman's nerves are more truly the cause of worry than outside troubles. The nerves are to a woman's body the telegraph system, which surely warns her of any trouble in the feminine make-up.

WHY WOMEN HAVE 'NERVES.'

"That is the reason why women have 'nerves.' When our thoughts begin to grow cloudy and uncertain, our impulses lag and the warnings of pain and distress are sent like flying messages throughout our limbs and frame, we straightway, nine times in ten, lay the cause of the trouble to some defect in the point where we first feel it. Is it a headache, a backache, a sensation of irritability or twitching and uncontrollable nervousness, something must be wrong with the head or back, a woman naturally says, but all the time the real trouble very often centers in the womanly organs. In nine cases out of ten the seat of the difficulty is here, and a woman should take rational treatment for its cure. The local disorder and inflammation of the delicate special organs of the sex should be treated steadily and systematically."

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Your most important knowledge is knowledge of yourself. You should read a complete "Doctor" book, called Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser. Has reached its sixty-first edition or 2,000,000 copies. Send 21 cents in one-cent stamps, for this 1000-page book in paper covers, or 31 cents for a copy in cloth binding. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Flag Scrap.

Thursday morning about half past three the Freshmen yell was heard defiantly over the campus, and when the Sophomores, their ever vigilant enemies, rushed out to see what was going on, they discovered the entire Freshmen class out on the athletic field near the old track house bunched up around the stem of a pole from the top of which the '07 pennant was fluttering in the morning breeze. Of course the Sophomores, as soon as they were out in sufficient numbers, gave battle and for over two hours fought with might and main for possessions of the coveted pennant. Various strategies were attempted, but the Freshmen, mindful of the outcome of last year's scrap, had a man stationed on a little platform just under the flag, ready to repel anyone who might succeed in getting up the pole, and were also on the lookout for any schemes such as were employed last year. As they outnumbered the Sophomores by far, they were easily able to repulse all such attempts. At last, about half past six, the Sophomores withdrew, each class gave their yell, and the scrap was over.—State College Times.

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All candidates are required to pledge themselves to abide the decision of the Republican County Convention.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

FOR PRESIDENT JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce the name of Hon. John G. Love as a candidate for President Judge in accordance with the rules of the Republican party.

COUNTY CHAIRMAN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Chairman of the Republican County Committee of Centre County. for 190 , subject to the rules of the party.

WILBUR F. REEDER.

PROTHONOTARY.

Please announce my name as a candidate for the nomination for Prothonotary subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention

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We are authorized to announce the name of GEORGE E. LAMB, of Philipsburg, as a candidate for Prothonotary, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

FOR LEGISLATURE.

We are authorized to announce the name of A. A. Dale, Esq., of Bellefonte, as a candidate for the Legislature. Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN A. DALEY, of Romola, as a candidate the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN KNISELY, of Bellefonte, as a candidate for the Legislature subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of P. E. WOMELSDORF, of Philipsburg, as a candidate for the Legislature subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CALL FOR REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republicans of Centre county will meet in their respective voting places in the several election districts in the county, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 1904,

for the purpose of electing delegates to the County Convention. The delegates so chosen will meet in convention at the Court House in Bellefonte, at 11 o'clock A. M., on

TUESDAY, JUNE, 14, 1904,

For the purpose of nominating one candidate for the office of President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, one candidate for the office of District Attorney, one candidate for the office of Prothonotary, two candidates for Members of the Legislature, and one candidate for the office of County Surveyor. The said convention will also elect a Chairman of the Republican County Committee for the year 1905 and transact such other business as may properly come before it.

Under the re-apportionment according to the rules of the Party, the various Precincts of the County are entitled to the number of delegates indicated in the following schedule:

NUMBER OF DELEGATES.

Bellefonte N W	7	Half Moon	2
Bellefonte S W	4	Harris	2
Bellefonte W W	3	Howard Twp	2
Centre Hall	1	Huston	2
Howard Borough	3	Liberty E. P	4
Milesburg	3	Liberty W. P	1
Millheim	1	Marion	1
Philipsburg 1st W	4	Miles East P	1
Philipsburg 2d W	4	Miles Middle P	1
Philipsburg 3d W	4	Miles West P	1
South Philipsburg	1	Patton	4
State College Boro	3	Penn	1
Unionville Boro	1	Potter North P	1
Benner N Precinct	1	Potter South P	2
Benner S Precinct	1	Potter West P	1
Boggs East Precinct	1	Rush East P	1
Boggs West Precinct	4	Rush North P	3
Boggs North Prec't	1	Rush South P	4
Burnside	1	Snow Shoe East P	4
College Twp	4	Snow Shoe West P	2
Curtin	1	Spring North P	2
Ferguson East P	2	Spring South P	3
Ferguson West P	2	Spring West P	3
Gregg North P	1	Taylor	2
Gregg East P	1	Union	2
Gregg West P	2	Walker East P	1
Haines East P	1	Walker Middle P	1
Haines West P	2	Walker West P	1
		Worth	3

Total number of delegates 122
Necessary to choice in nomination 62

In the Boroughs of Bellefonte, Centre Hall, Howard, Milesburg, Millheim, Philipsburg, Unionville, South Philipsburg and State College, and in townships of Benner, College, Howard, South Potter, Snow Shoe, Rush, Union, Spring, Boggs, Walker, Harris, Marion, Middle precinct of Miles, Liberty, Patton and Ferguson, the polls will open at 7 p. m. and close at 9 p. m., and in the remaining districts will open at 2 p. m., and close at 4 p. m., except Halfmoon township, where the polls will open at 6 p. m and close at 8 p. m. and Worth Township where the polls will open at 3 o'clock and close at 6 o'clock p. m.

The primary election for delegates will be held under the supervision of the district committeemen who will post proper notices, advertising as far as possible the delegate election in their respective precincts and also see that the proper election officers are designated, in attendance and that they are duly sworn. They will also be careful to see that the polls are open during the hours designated in this call. This election will be conducted in strict accordance with the rules adopted by the party at the convention held on May 19th, 1903.

WILBUR F. REEDER,
Chairman Republican Co. Com.

GEO. W. REES, Secretary.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the Rules of the Republican Party of Centre County, all candidates for nomination are required to register with the County Chairman and that the last day for such registration is Friday, May 27th, 1904.

WILBUR F. REEDER,
County Chairman

REPUBLICAN COUNTY COMMITTEE.

1904.

WILBUR F. REEDER, Chairman, Bellefonte.
George W. Rees, Secretary, Bellefonte.
Harry Keller, E. R Chambers, J. Wallace Reeder, } Ass't Sec's, Bellefonte.

DISTRICT.	NAME	ADDRESS.
Bellefonte, N W	Geo. H. Knisely,	Jr. B'f'n't
" S W	John Houser	"
" W W	Earle C Tuten,	"
Centre Hall boro	D. B Brisbin	Centre Hall
Milesburg "	Alfred S. Smith	Milesburg
Millheim "	J Spigelmyer	Millheim
Howard "	Allen Irvin	Howard
Philipsburg 1 w	D. Kirk Tate	Philipsburg
" 2"	Geo E Lamb	Philipsburg
" 3"	J N Schoonover	"
S Philipsburg	Thomas Radcliff	Philipsburg
College boro	W. L. Foster	State College
Unionville Boro	B. P. Shipley,	Fleming
Benner twp, N P.	Geo. Hastings,	B'f't. R. F. D.
Benner twp, S P	H. E. Zimmerman	"
Boggs Twp N P	D. W. Boyer	Yarnell
Boggs Twp E P	H A Curtin	Roland
Boggs Twp W P.	Scott Walters	Milesburg
Burnside Twp	Sam'l Beightol	Moshannon
College Twp	Andrew Tytie	State College
Curtin "	John A Daley	Romola
Ferguson Twp E P.	A Stine Walker, P G Mills	
Ferguson " W P.	J W Sunday	Penna Furnace
Gregg " N P	Isaac Smith,	Farmers Mills
Gregg " E P.	Jos. K. Bitner,	Penn Hall
Gregg " W P.	Wm Allison	Spring Mills
Haines " E P.	C. D. Motz	Woodward
Haines " W P.	Jas S Weaver	Aaronsburg
Half Moon "	Ira G. Burket	Stormstown
Harris "	Frank McFarlane	Boalsburg
Howard "	Ralph Schenck	Howard
Huston "	J. H. Turner.	Julian
Liberty " E P	Geo. S. Berryhill	Blanchard
Liberty " W P	Clark Paul	Monument
Marion " S. R.	Kling	Walker
Miles E P	M W Adams	Livonia
" M. P.	Clem. H. Gramley	Rebersburg
" W. P	Reuben Grimm	Madisonburg
Patton "	Geo. F. Stevenson	Waddles
Penn "	T B Motz	Coburn
Potter Twp N P	Isaac Shawver	Centre Hall
Potter " S P	Geo W. Smith	Centre Hall
Potter " W P	John T. Smith	Colyer
Rush E P.	G B Goodyear,	Munson, Pa.
Rush " N P	Thomas James	Philipsburg
Rush " S P	H. S. Stuart	Sandy Ridge
Snow Shoe E P	W A Sickle	Snow Shoe
" W. P.	Thomas D. Weaver	Moshannon
Spring Twp N P	John Tate	Bellefonte
Spring " S P	William Hoover	Pleasant Gap
Spring " W P	William Hampton	Bellefonte
Taylor " A R	Price	Hannah Furnace
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Mr. Bryan's bashfulness interfers with his naming the man who is his preference for the Democratic nomination.

Some people think that an ambitious man who parts both his hair and his pocket-book in the middle is entitled to all he can get.

No man seems to want want the second place on either ticket. The Vice-Presidency starts hot foot after the man who tries hardest to get away from it.

Well! Spain, Turkey and Abyssinia have recognized the republic of Panama. Since she received $10,000,000 from her rich uncle even the poorest nations are proud to associate with her.

Mr. J. P. Morgan has temporarily hauled off from active functions, and says he is entitled to a rest. Some people in New York do not hesitate to allege that he was entitled to arrest long ago.

With Fairbanks, Cannon, Elkins, and Black out of the Vice-Presidential race, the name of Secretary Shaw is mentioned. Why be in such a hurry to pick out all the candidates? Should not the convention have something to say.

Congressman Hill of Connecticut, an authority on banking, earnestly opposed the Senate amendment to to commit the government again to the constant coining of silver. He said: "The United States, with $680,000,000 in silver on hand a mass of metal that would load 500 cars and cost $100,000 to recount, now deliberately proposes to forever store this enormous mass and constantly add to the amount." The greatest sum of silver dollars ever in circulation was 79,000,000 in 1902.

WASHINGTON LETTER

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., May, 18, 1904.

There being now no very pressing important matters before the Executive branch of the government for consideration and settlement the President's Cabinet is already on the wing for distant parts of the country. The President himself, and Mrs. Roosevelt, will soon visit Groton, Mass., to attend the closing exercises of the school where their two eldest boys are being educated. Secretary Hay has already gone to St. Louis to attend the World's Press Convention, and deliver an address before that body. Secretary Shaw and Attorney Geberal Knox will soon visit the Pacific Coast and deliver a number of political speeches, which are intended to arouse the dormant public. Secretary Taft has gone to the wilderness of New York to get rid of a bad cold and to brace up by fishing and resting Pension Commissioner Ware has announced that he will retire from his position at the end of the year. He only consented to become Commissioner at the urgent request of the President, and has long wished to resign. He gave a banquet a few days ago to the chiefs in his division, and paid them a high compliment for their efficiency, faithfulness and loyalty. The Commissioner is certainly very popular, but he prefers the freedom of his law practice in Kansas. Undoubtedly he could come back to Congress if he wished.

Today your correspondent looked into the auction rooms where the magnificent house furnishings and trappings belonging to Senator Stewart of Nevada, and which formerly adorned Castle Stewart on Dupont Circle, have been sent to be disposed of at public auction. The extent and magnificence of the collection is astounding, worthy of an East Indian or Chinese prince. The sale is the sensation of the day, and has come near revealing to the public a scandal in the family of the millionaire Senator. The two daughters of the Senator protest that the articles belonged to their mother, and that they should be kept in the family. The Senator has replied, in a card to the public, that upon the death of his wife he gave the keys of the Castle to his daughters and told them to help themselves. He now sells what they left, which he claims is his own personal property. The articles are largely of Chinese and East Indian manufacture, but include also rich sets of furniture rococo style, florid, gilt and upholstered in Aubusson tapestries, all of French make. Other furniture is solid ebony and teak wood exquisitely carved and upholstered in Persian hand embroidery. The wall hangings and portiers consist of the richest and most elaborate embroideries ever seen in this country, of Chinese hand work; great golden dragons, storks, peacocks; fishes and conventional designs, on blue and yellow satin. The colors are very brilliant and the work remarkable. If the Senator would only give these things to the National Museum he would be regarded as a public benefactor. It is probable that these priceless articles of Eastern manufacture came into his possession from the Chinese Minister who once occ- Castle Stewart.

Since Congress altered the laws, making only one offence ground for divorce in the District of Columbia, the divorce lawyers have been out of business, and the press has been saved the necessity of printing much scandal. Interest has been awakened, however, in the announcement that Mrs. James Blaine will seek a divorce from her young husband, good naturedly known as Jimmy Blaine. She is the daughter of Admiral Hichborn of Washington and married Mr. Blaine against the wishes of her parents. It is averred that she had an offer of marriage from Senator Depew. It will be recollected that Mr. Blaine first married Miss Marie Nevins who procured a divorce and afterwards married Dr. Bull of New York. The suit will probably be prosecuted in New York, where the couple now lives.

Wednesday and Thursday of this week the American Cotton Manufacturers Association held its 8th annual convention in this city. Most of the Delegates were from the Southern States and their wives and daughters came with them. A large number of short addresses were made on all sorts of subjects connected with cotton manufacturing, such as the cost of power, conditions of the cotton growing, and the effects of speculation on cotton. Among the speakers were Secretary Cortelyou, Prof. Carpenter of Cornell University, and Mr. Pinchot, the forestry expert, who gave it as his opinion that the Federal Government would have to interfere to protect the forests at the head waters of streams. On Thursday afternoon the President received the members of the Association at the White House. Already the South has become a great manufacturing center, while the business of cotton manufacturing in New England is in a precarious condition.

Smallpox is Expensive.

The mild smallpox epidemic which visited Williamsport during the past winter has cost the city at least $5.000. The finance committee of councils, which met Thursday evening, made the estimate of $5,000, which will cover the expense of the smallpox outbreak within a hundred dollars or so. While the expenses connected with the single case which appeared in this city will not cost anything like the above amount, when the bills are all in it will be found to cost a large sum.—Lock Haven Democrat.

Thomas J. Cummings Dead.

The state department at Washington received a cablegram Wednesday announcing, the death of United States Consul Thomas J. Cummings, at Puerto Cabello, Venezuela, on the 10th instant, Mr. Cummings was appointed to the consular service from New York last winter. He was 65 years of age and formerly a newspaper man in New York.

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NEWS FROM FAR EAST.

Latest Happenings in the War Between Japs and Russians.

TOKIO, May 14.—5 p. m.—The Japanese torpedo boat No. 48 was destroyed while removing mines from Kerr bay, north of Talienwan (Port Dalny) Thursday. Seven men were killed and seven wounded. This is the first warship Japan has lost in the war.

The torpedo boat was lost during a series of bombardments and surveying operations at Talianwan, Deep and Kerr bays, by Admiral Katoka, commander of the Third squadron. The admiral arrived at Kerr bay early in the morning and detached the cruisers Itsukushima, Nishin and Miyako, ordering them to bombard the land batteries, while a flotilla of torpedo boats swept the harbor for mines. A second flotilla of torpedo boats, which had been engaged in guarding Port Arthur the previous night, joined the squadron and began the work of surveying the harbor. The Miyako discovered a company of Russian infantry and a detachment of cavalry on shore and dispersed them.

The survey was completed at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Two torpedo boats that were reconnoitering and removing mines in the west shore of Kerr bay discovered a telegraph line running along the Takushan peninsula. In order to destroy it Lieutenant Hotta and four sailors landed and scaled the heights under the protection of the guns of the torpedo boats and cut the line.

The Japanese vessels then discovered three bodies of Russian troops, one large and two small ones, whereupon the squadron advanced close to the shore and shelled them.

The Miyako, which was reconnitering in Deep bay, discovered a Russian guard post on a mountain to the northwest of Robinson Promontory and destroyed it.

A Russian force, estimated at ten companies, took refuge behind an eminence, but it was dispersed by the Japanese.

Torpedo boats Nos 48 and 49 discovered a large mechanical mine in Kerr bay. Their various attempts to blow it up failed and it suddenly exploded of itself, cutting No. 48 in two. The torpedo boat sank in seven minutes. The squadron hurried boats to the rescue and picked up the wounded. Three other mines were discovered and exploded. The squadron completed its operations at 6 o'clock in the evening and returned to its base.

NEW CHWANG, May 14.—Chinese bandits are committing depredation in the vicinity of Yin Kow. Several rich natives who were kidnapped by them from New Chwang, have been ransomed.

M. Pavloff formerly Russian minister to Corea, and now the representative of Viceroy Alexieff, who is one of the ablest of Russian diplomats, is now in Pekin, and it is believed that he is endeavoring to persuade the Chinese government to take over the New Chwang section.

Japanese scouts were seen at a late hour Thursday seven miles southwest of Kai Chou.

A part of the Japanese army is at present marching from Haiu Yen to the northwest. The number of this force cannot be obtained, but it is known to be considerable. The Russians are moving two regiments in and out of New Chwang for the purpose of the purpose of creating the impression among the natives that they have a number of men here. These two regiments comprise the only Russian force in this vicinity; the remainder of the troops formerly here being moved toward Mukden.

The belief prevails here that the Russian authorities will soon move the Mukden forces in the direction of Harbin, and it is not thought that they will risk any fight on the Liao Tung peninsula.

LIAO YANG, Saturday May 14.—Delayed in transmission)—The Russian fleet scored its first distinct naval success of the war on May 10 by the torpedoing and crippling, though not the sinking, of an armored Japanese cruiser in Tailienwan Bay. The Russian attack was carefully planned on May 10 while the Japanese squadron was concentrating outside Dalny devoting its whole attention to Tailienwan Bay and as carried out the same night. The attacking force was not a regular torpedo boat, but was only a small naphtha launch in command of a young naval officer who had with him three jackies. The launch mounted a small machine gun and carried three torpedoes.

When darkness fell the launch crept out of Port Arthur hugging the shore with no lights aboard and no glow from the engines to betray her presence. It was late when she gained the outer line of the Japanese squadron. Slipping through the torpedo boat pickets, and selecting the nearest warship, a big armoured cruiser, she stole toward her and exploded against her side a single torpedo. A deafening roar followed the explosion which echoed far ashore. Immediately flames enveloped the cruiser which evidently was badly crippled.

The crew of the cruiser was seen to be fighting fire, which they at last succeeded in extinguishing. A sister ship took the damaged vessel in tow and disappeared to the southeast. The launched escaped the hot fire directed against her by the Japanese ships, but being unable to return to Port Arthur or to get into Dalny, she was beached not far from Dalny. Only a few of the higher officers were aware of the plan the success of which depended upon secrecy.

The achievement raised the spirits of the Russians ashore and affoat and the young officer who was the hero of the exploit was feted and recommended for the Cross of St. George.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 17.—(2:25 a. m Tuesday)—Owing to the interruption of of communication with Port Arthur the admiralty has no information of its own, either regarding the blowing up of the Japanese cruiser Mayako on May 15 or the torpedoing and crippling of an armored Japanese cruiser in Tailenwan Bay May 10 by a naptha launch in command of a young Russian naval officer. The admiralty officers read with interest the Associated Press account of the former and pointed out that by no chance could the two happenings be identical, since the Miyako struck in daylight and the other event is reported as happening at night.

The admiralty, while awaiting news either incident points out the feasibility of the launch explot since the equipment for sending torpedoes from small boats, an invention of the late Vice Admiral Makaroff was utilized in the Russo Turkish war. Whether one or two Japanese ships have been crippled satisfaction is expressed that there has been some equivalent for the disaster to the Port Arthur fleet.

The Orel arrived Monday at Kronstadt making the third battleship of the squadron destined for the Far East which has arrived there to receive an equipment of guns. The battleship Alexander III has already been commissioned and the battleship Borodino is receiving her main battery.

The Southsaroff is the only battleship under construction to be assigned to the East and she was promised for delivery last month. Batteries are being installed on the protected cruiser Jemtchug and Isumrud. Despite this progress, Vice Admiral Rojestvensky said to the Associated Press that there would be no hurry for the voyage to the Far East and that he does not expect now to arrive in the Pacific before September next at the earliest.

How Mr. Frog's Wit Saved Him.

One day a jolly old pelican was walking on the shore of a pond when he came across Mr. Bullfrog. "Hello," said he, "you're just the fellow I was looking for. My stomach reminds me that it is about dinner time, and there is no one that I should rather have present at my meals than you, sir." And he chuckled to himself.

"You don't intend to eat me, do you?" asked the frog anxiously.

"Well, that was the calculation I was figuring on," replied the pelican.

"But I'm green," said the frog.

"Good joke," laughed the pelican, "but I feel sure you're ripe." And, putting his long neck down quickly, Mr. Pelican scooped up Mr. Frog.

As he reached the pelican's great pouch the frog cried out, "Oh, Mr. Pelican, let me ask you a riddle."

"Go on," said he.

"Why are you like a cough drop?" asked the frog.

"Give it up to save time," said the pelican.

"Because you've got a frog in your throat," answered the frog.

That was more than Mr. Pelican could stand. He opened his mouth and laughed enough to kill himself.

Mr. Bullfrog, seeing the chance he wanted, made good his escape.

There are times when it is a good thing to know a joke or two.—Chattanooga Times.

Individuality In Vegetation.

The vegetation covering the slopes of European mountains as well as that on the great snowy peaks of the American cordilleras and other ranges has an individuality, a character, of its own, striking even the most indifferent of tourists. In this flora all is dwarfed and on a small scale. The flowers alone, of relatively exaggerated size and generally brilliant in color, seem to be abnormally developed. The manner of growth of these plants is a surprise to those ignorant of their history and the cause of their peculiar appearance. While in the lowlands large plants, with spreading branches and well developed foliage, generally have flowers smaller than the leaves, the reverse is true in the higher regions.

Another easily noticed peculiarity is that while the Alpine flora in sunshine shows flowers of great size and vivid coloring, as the gentians, auriculas, anemones and violets, in the shade, on the other hand, we find them small and weak in color. Thus the action of the sun's rays on vegetation at great elevations seems to be more intense than on the plains.

A Medical View of Whipping.

Against this subordinate sway of savagery, this proposition to rule little children by terror and by pain, the Medical Record most emphatically protests. The whip inspires terror of itself and not of the crime. Its physical effects, quite aside from the pain engendered, are bad and may be deplorable. Its moral influence is shameful and degrading.—Medical Record.

Clean Lace In Naphtha.

Lace will not thicken if washed in naphtha. Immerse in the fluid and let the lace remain for an hour or two. Then gently squeeze between the hands, rinse with clean naphtha and pull into shape. It will dry almost immediately.

COWS TRAINED FOR THE TEST

Jerseys at the World's Fair Are Expected to Show That They Are Superior to All Other Breeds.

The herd of Jersey cows assembled at the World's Fair at St. Louis to represent the Jersey breed in the universal dairy test has been inspected and has been pronounced in perfect condition and ready to start upon their six months' grind on a day's notice.

W. R. Spann of the Burr Oak Jersey farm, Dallas, Tex., was the inspector, and he was thorough in his work. He passed a week on the Exposition grounds, and much of the time was spent in and around the Jersey cattle barn, and the condition of each individual of the herd of forty cows was definitely ascertained.

Never was more intelligent and careful treatment lavished on animals. No athlete was ever better trained for a contest requiring the development of speed, skill and endurance than has been this herd of Jerseys. When it is known that this herd is to compete with selected herds of Holsteins, Shorthorns, Brown Swiss and Devons, and the herd making the best score for the production of butter, milk and cheese is to establish the standing of the various breeds, the importance of the cows being in perfect condition may be understood.

For a solid year the Jerseys have been in constant training. Twenty-five cows will participate in the contest. Cows were selected from the best herds in the United States.

Dr. J. J. Richardson, president of the American Jersey Cattle Club, under whose auspices this entry is made, toured Europe and visited the famed Isle of Jersey, where the breed originated. He was seeking the best cows, but returned satisfied that Europe could show no cows that were better than those bred in America.

Though only twenty-five cows will participate in the test, forty cows were selected. They were assembled at Jerseyville, Ill., a year ago. This is near St. Louis, and the cattle have become acclimated. Last December they were removed to St. Louis. The cows are the property of individual members of the club and are loaned for the term of the test. C. T. Graves, a breeder at Maitland, Mo., was selected as the superintendent to have charge of the cattle, and he has been highly complimented by Dr. Richardson and Inspector Spann for the wonderfully fine condition in which he has placed the herd.

A series of model dairy barns have been built for the breeds competing in the test. The barns are octagonal in form, and are so arranged that the cows are in the center and a wide promenade permits visitors to pass around and view the cows as they stand in their stalls.

The milking and feeding are to be done in plain view of the public, and representatives of the various herds will at all times have access to all the barns to see that no sharp practices are indulged in.

The test not only consists in showing the amount of butter, milk and cheese produced, but the cost of production is taken into consideration. Every ounce of food given each cow is weighed and carefully recorded. When the cows are milked, the milk is conveyed to a model creamery in the Agricultural building, where it is tested and made into butter and cheese and where all records are carefully kept.

The Jersey cattle participated in a similar test at Chicago during the Columbian Exposition and carried off first honors.

Superintendent Graves is sanguine over the result of the present test. He says that the Jerseys have always demonstrated their superiority over all other breeds when placed in competition, and this time they will show to better advantage than ever. Not only is the Jersey milk richer in butter fat than the milk of any other breed, says Mr. Graves, but it can be produced at a less cost. The Jersey cows are the smallest of the standard breeds, and he asserts that they consume less feed. They assimilate their food, and it is converted into milk and butter and is not used in building up and sustaining a large carcass.

"We are going to make all other breeds take to the woods after this test," said Mr. Graves. "A few days ago I was testing some of our Jersey milk, and my hands were all sticky and greasy from the enormous amount of butter fat the milk contained. Mr. Von Heyne, who is in charge of the Holsteins, sent over a quantity of his milk for me to test. Of course, from a commercial standpoint, there was no comparison between the milk, but it was a pleasure to test his milk, for when I got through there was no grease on my hands. After this I will have a bucket of Holstein milk around handy to wash my hands in after testing our own rich Jersey milk."

The test begins May 16 and continues 120 days.

It will pay any farmer big money to give a trolley company a free right of way across his farm.

A few of those Igorottes from the Philippines with a fierce appetite for dog meat could be made use of in almost any civilized community.

Minnesota has a law which forbids the keeping of hogs at slaughter houses to eat the offal of the animals killed—on the face of it not a bad law.

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All candidates are required to pledge themselves to abide the decision of the Republican County Convention.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

FOR PRESIDENT JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce the name of Hon. John G. Love as a candidate for President Judge in accordance with the rules of the Republican party.

COUNTY CHAIRMAN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Chairman of the Republican County Committee of Centre County, for 190 , subject to the rules of the party.

WILBUR F. REEDER.

PROTHONOTARY.

Please announce my name as a candidate for the nomination for Prothonotary subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention

JACOB R. BIBLE,
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We are authorized to announce the name of GEORGE E. LAMB, of Philipsburg, as a candidate for Prothonotary, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

FOR LEGISLATURE.

We are authorized to announce the name of A. A. Dale, Esq., of Bellefonte, as a candidate for the Legislature. Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN A. DALEY, of Romola, as a candidate for the Legislature subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN KNISELY, of Bellefonte, as a candidate for the Legislature subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of P. E. WOMELSDORF, of Philipsburg, as a candidate for the Legislature subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CALL FOR REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republicans of Centre county will meet in their respective voting places in the several election districts in the county, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 1904,

for the purpose of electing delegates to the County Convention. The delegates so chosen will meet in convention at the Court House in Bellefonte, at 11 o'clock A. M., on

TUESDAY, JUNE, 14, 1904,

For the purpose of nominating one candidate for the office of President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, one candidate for the office of District Attorney, one candidate for the office of Prothonotary, two candidates for Members of the Legislature, and one candidate for the office of County Surveyor. The said convention will also elect a Chairman of the Republican County Committee for the year 1905 and transact such other business as may properly come before it.

Under the re-apportionment according to the rules of the Party, the various Precincts of the County are entitled to the number of delegates indicated in the following schedule:

NUMBER OF DELEGATES.

Bellefonte N W	7	Half Moon	2
Bellefonte S W	4	Harris	2
Bellefonte W W	3	Howard Twp	2
Centre Hall	1	Huston	2
Howard Borough	3	Liberty E P	4
Milesburg	3	Liberty W. P	1
Millheim	1	Marion	1
Philipsburg 1st W	4	Miles East P	1
Philipsburg 2d W	4	Miles Middle P	1
Philipsburg 3d W	4	Miles West P	1
South Philipsburg	1	Patton	4
State College Boro	3	Pegn	1
Unionville Boro	1	Potter North P	1
Benner N Precinct	1	Potter South P	2
Benner S Precinct	1	Potter West P	1
Boggs East Precinct	1	Rush East P	1
Boggs West Precinct	4	Rush North P	3
Boggs North Prec't	1	Rush South P	4
Burnside	1	Snow Shoe East P	4
College Twp	4	Snow Shoe West P	2
Curtin	1	Spring North P	2
Ferguson East P	2	Spring South P	3
Ferguson West P	3	Spring West P	3
Gregg North P	1	Taylor	2
Gregg East P	1	Union	2
Gregg West P	2	Walker East P	1
Haines East P	1	Walker Middle P	1
Haines West P	2	Walker West P	1
		Worth	3

Total number of delegates 122
Necessary to choice in nomination 62

In the Boroughs of Bellefonte, Centre Hall, Howard, Milesburg, Millheim, Philipsburg, Unionville, South Philipsburg and State College, and in townships of Benner, College, Howard, South Potter, Snow Shoe, Rush, Union, Spring, Boggs, Walker, Harris, Marion, Middle precinct of Miles, Liberty, Patton and Ferguson, the polls will open at 7 p. m. and close at 9 p. m., and in the remaining districts will open at 2 p. m., and close at 4 p. m., except Halfmoon township, where the polls will open at 6 p. m and close at 8 p. m, and Worth Township where the polls will open at 3 o'clock and close at 6 o'clock p. m.

The primary election for delegates will be held under the supervision of the district committeemen who will post proper notices, advertising as far as possible the delegate election in their respective precincts and also see that the proper election officers are designated, in attendance and that they are duly sworn. They will also be careful to see that the polls are open during the hours designated in this call. This election will be conducted in strict accordance with the rules adopted by the party at the convention held on May 19th, 1903.

WILBUR F. REEDER,
Chairman Republican Co. Com.

GEO. W. REES, Secretary.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the Rules of the Republican Party of Centre County, all candidates for nomination are required to register with the County Chairman and that the last day for such registration is Friday, May 27th, 1904.

WILBUR F. REEDER,
County Chairman

REPUBLICAN COUNTY COMMITTEE.

1904.

WILBUR F. REEDER, Chairman, Bellefonte.
George W. Rees, Secretary, Bellefonte.
Harry Keller,
E. R. Chambers, } Ass't Sec's, Bellefonte.
J. Wallace Reeder,

DISTRICT.	NAME	ADDRESS.
Bellefonte, N W.	Geo. H. Knisely,	Jr. B'f'n't
" S W.	John Houser	"
" W W.	Earle C Tuten,	"
Centre Hall boro.	D. B Brisbin	Centre Hall
Milesburg	Alfred S. Smith	Milesburg
Millheim "	J Spigelmyer	Millheim
Howard "	Allen Irvin	Howard
Philipsburg 1 w	D. Kirk Tate	Philipsburg
" 2	Geo E Lamb	Philipsburg
" 3	J N Schoonover	"
S Philipsburg	Thomas Radcliff	Philipsburg
College boro	W. L. Foster	State College
Unionville Boro	B. P. Shipley,	Fleming
Benner twp, N P.	Geo. Hastings,	B'f't. R. F. D.
Benner twp, S P.	H. E. Zimmerman	
Boggs Twp N P	D. W. Boyer.	Yarnell
Boggs Twp E P	H A Curtin	Roland
Boggs Twp W P.	Scott Walters	Milesburg
Burnside Twp	Sam'l Beightol	Moshannon
College Twp	Andrew Lytle	State College
Curtin "	John A Daley	Romola
Ferguson Twp E P.	A Stine Walker, P G Mills	
Ferguson "	W P. J W Sunday	Penna Furnace
Gregg "	N P Isaac Smith,	Farmers Mills
Gregg "	E P. Jos. K. Bitner,	Penn Hall
Gregg "	W P. Wm Allison	Spring Mills
Haines "	E P. C. D. Motz	Woodward
Haines "	W P. Jas S Weaver	Aaronsbg
Half Moon "	Ira G. Burket	Stormstown
Harris "	Frank McFarlane	Boalsburg
Howard "	Ralph Schenck	Howard
Huston "	J. H. Turner	Julian
Liberty "	E P Geo. S. Berryhill	Blanchard
Liberty "	W P Clark Paul	Monument
Marion "	S R. Kling	Walker
Miles E P	M W Adams	Livonia
" M. P.	Clem. H. Gramley	Rebersburg
" W. P.	Reuben Grimm	Madisonburg
Patton	Geo. F. Stevenson	Waddles
Penn "	T B Motz	Coburn
Potter Twp N P	Isaac Shawver	Centre Hall
Potter " S P	Geo W. Smith	Centre Hall
Potter " W P	John T. Smith	Colyer
Rush E P.	G B Goodyear,	Munson, Pa.
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Rush " S P	H. S. Stuart	Sandy Ridge
Snow Shoe E P	W A Sickle	Snow Shoe
" W. P.	Thomas D. Weaver	Moshannon
Spring Twp N P	John Tate	Bellefonte
Spring " S P	William Hoover	Pleasant Gap
Spring " W P	William Hampton	Bellefonte
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" W P	Chris. Decker	Zion
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Mr. Bryan's bashfulness interfers with his naming the man who is his preference for the Democratic nomination.

Some people think that an ambitious man who parts both his hair and his pocket-book in the middle is entitled to all he can get.

No man seems to want want the second place on either ticket. The Vice-Presidency starts hot foot after the man who tries hardest to get away from it.

Well! Spain, Turkey and Abyssinia have recognized the republic of Panama. Since she received $10,000,000 from her rich uncle even the poorest nations are proud to associate with her.

Mr. J. P. Morgan has temporarily hauled off from active functions, and says he is entitled to a rest. Some people in New York do not hesitate to allege that he was entitled to arrest long ago.

With Fairbanks, Cannon, Elkins, and Black out of the Vice-Presidential race, the name of Secretary Shaw is mentioned. Why be in such a hurry to pick out all the candidates? Should not the convention have something to say.

Congressman Hill of Connecticut, an authority on banking, earnestly opposed the Senate amendment to to commit the government again to the constant coining of silver. He said: "The United States, with $680,000,000 in silver on hand a mass of metal that would load 500 cars and cost $100,000 to recount, now deliberately proposes to forever store this enormous mass and constantly add to the amount." The greatest sum of silver dollars ever in circulation was 79,000,000 in 1902.

WASHINGTON LETTER

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., May, 18, 1904.

There being now no very pressing important matters before the Executive branch of the government for consideration and settlement the President's Cabinet is already on the wing for distant parts of the country. The President himself, and Mrs. Roosevelt, will soon visit Groton, Mass., to attend the closing exercises of the school where their two eldest boys are being educated. Secretary Hay has already gone to St. Louis to attend the World's Press Convention, and deliver an address before that body. Secretary Shaw and Attorney General Knox will soon visit the Pacific Coast and deliver a number of political speeches, which are intended to arouse the dormant public. Secretary Taft has gone to the wilderness of New York to get rid of a bad cold and to brace up by fishing and resting. Pension Commissioner Ware has announced that he will retire from his position at the end of the year. He only consented to become Commissioner at the urgent request of the President, and has long wished to resign. He gave a banquet a few days ago to the chiefs in his division, and paid them a high compliment for their efficiency, faithfulness and loyalty. The Commissioner is certainly very popular, but he prefers the freedom of his law practice in Kansas. Undoubtedly he could come back to Congress if he wished.

Today your correspondent looked into the auction rooms where the magnificent house furnishings and trappings belonging to Senator Stewart of Nevada, and which formerly adorned Castle Stewart on Dupont Circle, have been sent to be disposed of at public auction. The extent and magnificence of the collection is astounding, worthy of an East Indian or Chinese prince. The sale is the sensation of the day, and has come near revealing to the public a scandal in the family of the millionaire Senator. The two daughters of the Senator protest that the articles belonged to their mother, and that they should be kept in the family. The Senator has replied, in a card to the public, that upon the death of his wife he gave the keys of the Castle to his daughters and told them to help themselves. He now sells what they left, which he claims is his own personal property. The articles are largely of Chinese and East Indian manufacture, but include also rich sets of furniture rococo style, florid, gilt and upholstered in Aubusson tapestries, all of French make. Other furniture is solid ebony and teak wood exquisitely carved and upholstered in Persian hand embroidery. The wall hangings and portiers consist of the richest and most elaborate embroideries ever seen in this country, of Chinese hand work; great golden dragons, storks, peacocks; fishes and conventional designs, on blue and yellow satin. The colors are very brilliant and the work remarkable. If the Senator would only give these things to the National Museum he would be regarded as a public benefactor. It is probable that these priceless articles of Eastern manufacture came into his possession from the Chinese Minister who once occ Castle Stewart.

Since Congress altered the laws, making only one offence ground for divorce in the District of Columbia, the divorce lawyers have been out of business, and the press has been saved the necessity of printing much scandal. Interest has been awakened, however, in the announcement that Mrs. James Blaine will seek a divorce from her young husband, good naturedly known as Jimmy Blaine. She is the daughter of Admiral Hichborn of Washington and married Mr. Blaine against the wishes of her parents. It is averred that she had an offer of marriage from Senator Depew. It will be recollected that Mr. Blaine first married Miss Marie Nevins who procured a divorce and afterwards married Dr. Bull of New York. The suit will probably be prosecuted in New York, where the couple now lives.

Wednesday and Thursday of this week the American Cotton Manufacturers Association held its 8th annual convention in this city. Most of the Delegates were from the Southern States and their wives and daughters came with them. A large number of short addresses were made on all sorts of subjects connected with cotton manufacturing, such as the cost of power, conditions of the cotton growing, and the effects of speculation on cotton. Among the speakers were Secretary Cortelyou, Prof. Carpenter of Cornell University, and Mr. Pinchot, the forestry expert, who gave it as his opinion that the Federal Government would have to interfere to protect the forests at the head waters of streams. On Thursday afternoon the President received the members of the Association at the White House. Already the South has become a great manufacturing center, while the business of cotton manufacturing in New England is in a precarious condition.

Smallpox is Expensive.

The mild smallpox epidemic which visited Williamsport during the past winter has cost the city at least $5,000. The finance committee of councils, which met Thursday evening, made the estimate of $5,000, which will cover the expense of the smallpox outbreak within a hundred dollars or so. While the expenses connected with the single case which appeared in this city will not cost anything like the above amount, when the bills are all in it will be found to cost a large sum.—Lock Haven Democrat.

Thomas J. Cummings Dead.

The state department at Washington received a cablegram Wednesday announcing the death of United States Consul Thomas J. Cummings, at Puerto Cabello, Venezuela, on the 10th instant. Mr. Cummings was appointed to the consular service from New York last winter. He was 65 years of age and formerly a newspaper man in New York.

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NEWS FROM FAR EAST.

Latest Happenings in the War Between Japs and Russians.

TOKIO, May 14 —5 p m.—The Japanese torpedo boat No. 48 was destroyed while removing mines from Kerr bay, north of Talienwan (Port Dalny) Thursday. Seven men were killed and seven wounded. This is the first warship Japan has lost in the war.

The torpedo boat was lost during a series of bombardments and surveying operations at Talianwan, Deep and Kerr bays, by Admiral Katoka, commander of the Third squadron. The admiral arrived at Kerr bay early in the morning and detached the cruisers Itsukushima, Nishin and Miyako, ordering them to bombard the land batteries, while a flotilla of torpedo boats swept the harbor for mines. A second flotilla of torpedo boats, which had been engaged in guarding Port Arthur the previous night, joined the squadron and began the work of surveying the harbor. The Miyako discovered a company of Russian infantry and a detachment of cavalry on shore and dispersed them.

The survey was completed at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Two torpedo boats that were reconnoitering and removing mines in the west shore of Kerr bay discovered a telegraph line running along the Takushan peninsula. In order to destroy it Lieutenant Hotta and four sailors landed and scaled the heights under the protection of the guns of the torpedo boats and cut the line.

The Japanese vessels then discovered three bodies of Russian troops, one large and two small ones, whereupon the squadron advanced close to the shore and shelled them.

The Miyako, which was reconnoitering in Deep bay, discovered a Russian guard post on a mountain to the northwest of Robinson Promontory and destroyed it.

A Russian force, estimated at ten companies, took refuge behind an eminence, but it was dispersed by the Japanese.

Torpedo boats Nos 48 and 49 discovered a large mechanical mine in Kerr bay. Their various attempts to blow it up failed and it suddenly exploded of itself, cutting No. 48 in two. The torpedo boat sank in seven minutes. The squadron hurried boats to the rescue and picked up the wounded. Three other mines were discovered and exploded. The squadron completed its operations at 6 o'clock in the evening and returned to its base.

NEW CHWANG, May 14.—Chinese bandits are committing depredation in the vicinity of Yin Kow. Several rich natives who were kidnapped by them from New Chwang, have been ransomed.

M. Pavloff formerly Russian minister to Corea, and now the representative of Viceroy Alexieff, who is one of the ablest of Russian diplomats, is now in Pekin, and it is believed that he is endeavoring to persuade the Chinese government to take over the New Chwang section.

Japanese scouts were seen at a late hour Thursday seven miles southwest of Kai Chou.

A part of the Japanese army is at present marching from Haiu Yen to the northwest. The number of this force cannot be obtained, but it is known to be considerable. The Russians are moving two regiments in and out of New Chwang for the purpose of the purpose of creating the impression among the natives that they have a number of men here. These two regiments comprise the only Russian force in this vicinity; the remainder of the troops formerly here being moved toward Mukden.

The belief prevails here that the Russian authorities will soon move the Mukden forces in the direction of Harbin, and it is not thought that they will risk any fight on the Liao Tung peninsula.

LIAO YANG, Saturday May 14.—Delayed in transmission)—The Russian fleet scored its first distinct naval success of the war on May 10 by the torpedoing and crippling, though not the sinking, of an armored Japanese cruiser in Tailienwan Bay. The Russian attack was carefully planned on May 10 while the Japanese squadron was concentrating outside Dalny devoting its whole attention to Tailienwan Bay and as carried out the same night. The attacking force was not a regular torpedo boat, but was only a small naphtha launch in command of a young naval officer who had with him three jackies. The launch mounted a small machine gun and carried three torpedoes.

When darkness fell the launch crept out of Port Arthur hugging the shore with no lights aboard and no glow from the engines to betray her presence. It was late when she gained the outer line of the Japanese squadron. Slipping through the torpedo boat pickets, and selecting the nearest warship, a big armoured cruiser, she stole toward her and exploded against her side a single torpedo. A deafening roar followed the explosion which echoed far ashore. Immediately flames enveloped the cruiser which evidently was badly crippled.

The crew of the cruiser was seen to be fighting fire, which they at last succeeded in extinguishing. A sister ship took the damaged vessel in tow and disappeared to the southeast. The launched escaped the hot fire directed against her by the Japanese ships, but being unable to return to Port Arthur or to get into Dalny, she was beached not far from Dalny. Only a few of the higher officers were aware of the plan the success of which depended upon secrecy.

The achievement raised the spirits of the Russians ashore and afloat and the young officer who was the hero of the exploit was feted and recommended for the Cross of St. George.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 17.—(2:25 a. m Tuesday)—Owing to the interruption of of communication with Port Arthur the admiralty has no information of its own, either regarding the blowing up of the Japanese cruiser Mayako on May 15 or the torpedoing and crippling of an armored Japanese cruiser in Tailenwan Bay May 10 by a naptha launch in command of a young Russian naval officer. The admiralty officers read with interest the Associated Press account of the former and pointed out that by no chance could the two happenings be identical, since the Miyako struck in daylight and the other event is reported as happening at night.

The admiralty, while awaiting news either incident points out the feasibility of the launch explot since the equipment for sending torpedoes from small boats, an invention of the late Vice Admiral Makaroff was utilized in the Russo Turkish war. Whether one or two Japanese ships have been crippled satisfaction is expressed that there has been some equivalent for the disaster to the Port Arthur fleet.

The Orel arrived Monday at Kronstadt making the third battleship of the squadron destined for the Far East which has arrived there to receive an equipment of guns. The battleship Alexander III has already been commissioned and the battleship Borodino is receiving her main battery.

The Southbaroff is the only battleship under construction to be assigned to the East and she was promised for delivery last month. Batteries are being installed on the protected cruiser Jemtchug and Isumrud. Despite this progress, Vice Admiral Rojestvensky said to the Associated Press that there would be no hurry for the voyage to the Far East and that he does not expect now to arrive in the Pacific before September next at the earliest.

How Mr. Frog's Wit Saved Him.

One day a jolly old pelican was walking on the shore of a pond when he came across Mr. Bullfrog. "Hello," said he, "you're just the fellow I was looking for. My stomach reminds me that it is about dinner time, and there is no one that I should rather have present at my meals than you, sir." And he chuckled to himself.

"You don't intend to eat me, do you?" asked the frog anxiously.

"Well, that was the calculation I was figuring on," replied the pelican.

"But I'm green," said the frog.

"Good joke," laughed the pelican, "but I feel sure you're ripe." And, putting his long neck down quickly, Mr. Pelican scooped up Mr. Frog.

As he reached the pelican's great pouch the frog cried out, "Oh, Mr. Pelican, let me ask you a riddle."

"Go on," said he.

"Why are you like a cough drop?" asked the frog.

"Give it up to save time," said the pelican.

"Because you've got a frog in your throat," answered the frog.

That was more than Mr. Pelican could stand. He opened his mouth and laughed enough to kill himself.

Mr. Bullfrog, seeing the chance he wanted, made good his escape.

There are times when it is a good thing to know a joke or two.—Chattanooga Times.

Individuality In Vegetation.

The vegetation covering the slopes of European mountains as well as that on the great snowy peaks of the American cordilleras and other ranges has an individuality, a character, of its own, striking even the most indifferent of tourists. In this flora all is dwarfed and on a small scale. The flowers alone, of relatively exaggerated size and generally brilliant in color, seem to be abnormally developed. The manner of growth of these plants is a surprise to those ignorant of their history and the cause of their peculiar appearance. While in the lowlands large plants, with spreading branches and well developed foliage, generally have flowers smaller than the leaves, the reverse is true in the higher regions.

Another easily noticed peculiarity is that while the Alpine flora in sunshine shows flowers of great size and vivid coloring, as the gentians, auriculas, anemones and violets, in the shade, on the other hand, we find them small and weak in color. Thus the action of the sun's rays on vegetation at great elevations seems to be more intense than on the plains.

A Medical View of Whipping.

Against this subordinate sway of savagery, this proposition to rule little children by terror and by pain, the Medical Record most emphatically protests. The whip inspires terror of itself and not of the crime. Its physical effects, quite aside from the pain engendered, are bad and may be deplorable. Its moral influence is shameful and degrading.—Medical Record.

Clean Lace In Naphtha.

Lace will not thicken if washed in naphtha. Immerse in the fluid and let the lace remain for an hour or two. Then gently squeeze between the hands, rinse with clean naphtha and pull into shape. It will dry almost immediately.

COWS TRAINED FOR THE TEST

Jerseys at the World's Fair Are Expected to Show That They Are Superior to All Other Breeds.

The herd of Jersey cows assembled at the World's Fair at St. Louis to represent the Jersey breed in the universal dairy test has been inspected and has been pronounced in perfect condition and ready to start upon their six months' grind on a day's notice.

W. R. Spann of the Burr Oak Jersey farm, Dallas, Tex., was the inspector, and he was thorough in his work. He passed a week on the Exposition grounds, and much of the time was spent in and around the Jersey cattle barn, and the condition of each individual of the herd of forty cows was definitely ascertained.

Never was more intelligent and careful treatment lavished on animals. No athlete was ever better trained for a contest requiring the development of speed, skill and endurance than has been this herd of Jerseys. When it is known that this herd is to compete with selected herds of Holsteins, Shorthorns, Brown Swiss and Devons, and the herd making the best score for the production of butter, milk and cheese is to establish the standing of the various breeds, the importance of the cows being in perfect condition may be understood.

For a solid year the Jerseys have been in constant training. Twenty-five cows will participate in the contest. Cows were selected from the best herds in the United States.

Dr. J. J. Richardson, president of the American Jersey Cattle Club, under whose auspices this entry is made, toured Europe and visited the famed Isle of Jersey, where the breed originated. He was seeking the best cows, but returned satisfied that Europe could show no cows that were better than those bred in America.

Though only twenty-five cows will participate in the test, forty cows were selected. They were assembled at Jerseyville, Ill., a year ago. This is near St. Louis, and the cattle have become acclimated. Last December they were removed to St. Louis. The cows are the property of individual members of the club and are loaned for the term of the test. C. T. Graves, a breeder at Maitland, Mo., was selected as the superintendent to have charge of the cattle, and he has been highly complimented by Dr. Richardson and Inspector Spann for the wonderfully fine condition in which he has placed the herd.

A series of model dairy barns have been built for the breeds competing in the test. The barns are octagonal in form, and are so arranged that the cows are in the center and a wide promenade permits visitors to pass around and view the cows as they stand in their stalls.

The milking and feeding are to be done in plain view of the public, and representatives of the various herds will at all times have access to all the barns to see that no sharp practices are indulged in.

The test not only consists in showing the amount of butter, milk and cheese produced, but the cost of production is taken into consideration. Every ounce of food given each cow is weighed and carefully recorded. When the cows are milked, the milk is conveyed to a model creamery in the Agricultural building, where it is tested and made into butter and cheese and where all records are carefully kept.

The Jersey cattle participated in a similar test at Chicago during the Columbian Exposition and carried off first honors.

Superintendent Graves is sanguine over the result of the present test. He says that the Jerseys have always demonstrated their superiority over all other breeds when placed in competition, and this time they will show to better advantage than ever. Not only is the Jersey milk richer in butter fat than the milk of any other breed, says Mr. Graves, but it can be produced at a less cost. The Jersey cows are the smallest of the standard breeds, and he asserts that they consume less feed. They assimilate their food, and it is converted into milk and butter and is not used in building up and sustaining a large carcass.

"We are going to make all other breeds take to the woods after this test," said Mr. Graves. "A few days ago I was testing some of our Jersey milk, and my hands were all sticky and greasy from the enormous amount of butter fat the milk contained. Mr. Von Heyne, who is in charge of the Holsteins, sent over a quantity of his milk for me to test. Of course, from a commercial standpoint, there was no comparison between the milk, but it was a pleasure to test his milk, for when I got through there was no grease on my hands. After this I will have a bucket of Holstein milk around handy to wash my hands in after testing our own rich Jersey milk."

The test begins May 16 and continues 120 days.

It will pay any farmer big money to give a trolley company a free right of way across his farm.

A few of those Igorottes from the Philippines with a fierce appetite for dog meat could be made use of in almost any civilized community.

Minnesota has a law which forbids the keeping of hogs at slaughter houses to eat the offal of the animals killed—on the face of it not a bad law.

CORRESPONDENCE

RUNVILLE.

Mr. Clement Dale of Bellefonte was seen on our streets Saturday.

Mr. Eve Lucas of Altoona spent Sunday at Mr. Charles Lucas'.

Miss Myrtle Friel spent a few days with her sister Mrs. Edward Gross of Bellefonte.

Mr. Harry Quick of Moose Run transacted business in our town Saturday.

Mr. L. J. Heaton of Osceola spent a few days at his home at this place.

Mr. Claude Lucas of Butts Station spent Sunday with his parents at this place,

Mrs. Edward Gross of Bellefonte returned home after a weeks visit with her mother Mrs. Ellen Friel.

Mr. Charles Rodgers made a flying trip to Bellefonte to see his uncle Mr. Edward Lucas who is very ill.

Mr. C. B. Friel left Monday morning for Washington, D. C.

Quite a few of our farmers are missing chickens, Boys be aware you may be caught in some of your dobates.

Mr. James Smoyer made a flying trip through Runville Saturday.

Mr. Peck of Bellwood spent Sunday with his friend Miss Mable Fisher.

Mr. Flem Poorman and Mr. John Lucas of Holts Hollow spent Sunday at Mr. D. F. Poorman.

Mr. William Crisman spent an enjoyable evening at Mr. Wm. Spicers.

Quite a number of our sports left Monday morning for the bark woods followed by a large grizzly bear, we think the boys will get back safe as the bear was muzzled.

Mr. Furst Harnish and Frank Crisman passed through our town on Sunday they were singing show me the way to Bellefonte. Furst looked sleepy as usual, Ha! Ha!

Mrs. Myrtle Markley and two daughters returned home after a two weeks visit to Jersey Shore.

Mr. Toner Spicer and wife of Bellefonte Sundayed at Wm. Spicers.

Mr. Claude Poorman returned home from the bark woods Tuesday.

Mr. Nicholas Gay started on Monday for Milroy where he will spend a few weeks with his daughter.

Michael Witherite made some repairs to his home last week which improves its appearance.

Mr. Pearl Green and Miss Bertha Steveson of Elk County are visiting at Mr. Wm. Green's.

All the talk now is Walter L. Mains Show.

Mr. James Lucus made a flying trip to Bellefonte Tuesday.

PORT MATILDA.

The County commissioners of Centre Co. repaired the big iron bridge across the Bald Eagle Creek last week. They put in steel stringers and new plank.

Mr. W. H. Morrison left here on Thursday morning for Stewart Station where he lives. His wife and baby will return the last of the month.

We had some very heavy frosts last week. It is feared the fruit has been frozen.

The farmers are busy plowing corn.

H. C. Woodring of this place, spent a few days in Trafford City last week visiting his daughter Mrs. Weston.

Our Base Ball team played Stormstown Saturday afternoon, if it hadn't rained so hard they would of played them out of their shoes.

Mr. S. S. Miles has been chosen to go from the Odd Fellows Lodge of this place as a representative to the Grand Lodge which meets at Easton, Pa. He will be gone for a week.

Our Brass Band is practicing 2 nights a week now. They can play pretty good after laying quiet all the long winter days.

OAK HALL

Miss Minnie Kline is on the sick list.

Mrs. Harriet Corman who makes her home with her sister at Mackeyville is spending this week with her former neighbors and friends at this place.

Jasper Rishel is on the sick list.

Mrs. Mathias Durner has been on the sick list.

Mrs. Robert Miller is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Elmer Louder who has been very sick is improving.

Adam Blazer who has been working in Altoona returned home on Saturday last.

Mrs. Irvin spent several days in Boalsburg last week.

Geo. Sugarts of Stone Valley visited his sister Mrs. Harry Burns over Sunday.

Robert Hoy of Houserville spent part of this week working at the Foundry.

Barnhart Stemm, of Altoona, visited Mrs. Susan Peters Tuesday.

MILESBURG.

Mrs. Lizzie Shirly after a pleasant visit with her parents returned home to Jersey Shore.

John Johnson of Tyrone arrived to visit his parents on Saturday night.

Miss Ada Thomas of Tyrone is a guest of Miss Verna Cain at this writing.

McClellan Fulton of Tyrone spent Saturday night and part of Sunday with his mother.

Mrs. Price, and Mrs. Neid of Altoona after a brief visit with her son Charles Price returned home on Monday.

Chester L. Boggs of Pitcairn is visiting his parents A. L. Boggs and family.

PLEASANT GAP.

As a Kansas reader has been inquiring for the Pleasant Gap scribe, I will endeavor to give proof of my continued existed. Though do not know what will interest him, will do my best.

Mr. John Miller of Altoona is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Thomas Noll.

Miss Susan Fisher of Lock Haven is visiting her sister, Catharine Fisher.

We are glad to say Mr. A. J. Swartz is slowly improving.

Prof. Wagner opened the term of summer school on the 9th.

Mr. Edgar Witmer of Bellefonte visited at the gap on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey have left on an extended visit to Mrs. Ramsey's brother, of Washington, Mr. David Kemp.

The farmers are about done planting corn.

Though the wheat is not very promising there are fine prospects of a good hay crop.

The fruit is in no way hurt by the frost.

Wm. Bilger has completed his bridges at Unionville and Port Matilda.

If this goes into the Editor's waste basket, please don't blame me.

STATE COLLEGE.

H. Y. Otto of the Williamsport Paper Co., with his wife and son were pleasant visitors at the home of H. D. Meek last Friday and Saturday. Mr. Otto is an enthusiastic State man and took in the Dickinson & State base ball game Friday the track meet on Saturday, the Pharsonians Friday night and Miss Clara Morris recital Saturday night, leaving for Bellefonte on Sunday to attend church.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ripka of Lewistown are on a few days trip for Mr. Ripka's health which has not been of the best for sometime, stopping on their way to visit his sister Mrs. Chas. Sheasly of this place.

The flag scrap which is always looked forward to by the student body came off as a victory for the freshman last Wednesday morning. Owing to the earliness of the hour very few except those who were interested saw the scrap, it having came off between the hours of 2 and 4 a. m.

Mr. Bowersox one of Pine Groves retired farmers was a business caller Tuesday Mr. Bowersox has made a great many improvements in his new home at the Mills and expects to make more until he has his ideal.

Mr. Armstrong Jacobs one of States old reliables dropped in Tuesday for a short visit to his daughter Mrs. Wes Sauers. Our old friend is looking like a two year old and we hope for him many happy years of life in his new home Howard.

HOLTS HOLLOW.

Emily Roseman was visiting at Curtin on Saturday.

Most of the farmer's are done sowing their oats.

Lots of all kinds of fruit blossom's around here by the appearance of trees there will be lots of fruit.

Mr. George Greene who is empolyed at Altoona came home to spend Sunday with his family.

Mr. Uriah Housel and son Malcolm went to Bellefonte on business one day recently.

John Roseman was to Bellefonte on business one day last week.

MR. FEIDLER AS CITY EDITOR.

Goes to DuBois to Accept a Place on New Morning Daily.

James A. Feidler left Saturday afternoon for DuBois where he goes to accept the position of city editor of the Morning Journal, a new daily newspaper, the initial number of which appeared Monday morning. Mr. Feidler's qualifications as a newspaper man are widely and most favorably known, and in him the Journal will find a man of wide range and ripe experience. He founded the Keystone Gazette, at Bellefonte, in 1885, and was at the head of that paper for nine years. He was postmaster at Bellefonte, and was twice transcribing clerk in the house of representatives. The Journal begins its career under substantial circumstances, and promises to be a newspaper in every sense of the word.

Whirled Around on Fly Wheel.

George Krutz, an employe of the New York Central Machine shops at Oak Grove, narrowly escaped being killed about 10 o'clock Thursday morning. He was caught on a large fly wheel of a turret lathe and whirled around at a terrible velocity for twenty four revolutions. At each revolution his feet struck the floor with terrible force. He was rendered unconscious. It is supposed that his coat must have caught in the machine in some manner. While he was being whirled around the wheel his head came within a hair's breadth of striking the floor.

UNCLAIMED LETTER LIST.

The following letters remain in the Bellefonte Post Office uncalled for May 16th, 1904:

Willard Harter, Marguerite Lutz, Micheal Murphy, Mrs. M'Kibben, Violet Robbin, Sam'l Walker.

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Only Troop of Elephant Soldiery in the World.

To those fond of attending zoological displays, the Walter L. Main Circus, which exhibits here on May 21 provides an exceptional opportunity. It is true all large circuses have animal exhibits, and equally, as true, that most all of these tented amusements dote on the quantity they have for displayinstead of rarity of collection. The Main menagerie is congregated with many beasts never before viewed in this country. Mammoth and diminutive specimens of the lowest and most ferocious of Nature's creation, as well as the more intellectual and specious animals, are found in the Main zoological spectacle. Of the latter class of brutes a herd of trained African mammals give a performance that must be witnessed to be believed. These ponderous creatures, the only troop of elephant soldiery in the world, go through all the warrior's maneuvers in battle with the quickness and precision of one of Uncle Sam's proficient bluecoats. In the superb military production which the show presents, "The Battle of Paardeberg," these elephant soldiers take an active part, their performance demonstrating a degree of animal intelligence never before revealed.

Of the more rare and vicious beasts in the Main show's collection, possibly a pair of black Asiatic tigers command the greatest attention from the spectator. With their sleek skin, a beautiful smooth black, and their large sunken eyes glittering like coals of fire, one cannot help being attracted by their sight. These are the only pair of Asiatic black cat animals even seen in America, and their great rarity make them a valuable contingent to the Main Zoo. These monsters are somewhat choice in their diet, being especially fond of fowl of any character. Another peculiarity the animal keeper has observed, at the sight of a dog these tigers become furious, while dogs quake and shiver at asight of the tiger. That the value of rare animals is more than one would suppose without investigating, is a fact, when the circus paid 10,000 for these two black brutes. At Bellefonte Saturday, May 21.

A Native of Centre Dies at DuBois.

Joseph W. White, a veteran of the Civil war and an old time resident of the county, died at half past nine Sunday morning at the home of his son-in-law, Roll Draucker, in DuBois. He had been sick for about two weeks with an attack of erysipelas. He had also for some time been a sufferer from Brights disease.

Deceased was born in Milesburg, Centre county, March 5, 1831. During the Civil war he enlisted from Luthersburg, this county, as a member of Company F, 58th P. V. I., serving his country with credit until honorably discharged.

Prior to coming to DuBois two years ago he resided in Marcellus, Michigan, where he belonged to the G. A. R., transferring his membership from the Curwensville post.

He is survived by several children: Mrs. Roll Draucker, of DuBois, Mrs. Peturia Shugarts, of Grampain; Mrs. Maggie Anderson, of New Millport; Mrs. Gertrude Rupert, of Newtonburg; and Mrs. Mary Poorman, of Lawton, Mich. Zeb White, a twin brother of the deceased, resides in Clearfield.

The funeral was held Tuesday. Services were conducted at the Draucker home at 1:30 by Dr. J. Bell Neff and the remains were taken on the 3:20 train to Curwensville for interment.

Stole Lame Man s Bicycle.

Sugar Valley Journal: Some rascal, who ought to be behind the prison wall, Sunday night broke in the summer house of Daniel Wolfe, west of Booneville and stole therefrom William L. Wolfe's bicycle—a Reading Standard, new tire and coaster brake. Mr. Wolf is a lame young man, and the fellow who stole his wheel certainly must have a stony heart and a dirty couscience.

Rings Were Forced Into Flesh.

Mrs. Lottie Harrison, Williamsport, on Tuesday had a hand crushed in the rolls of an ironing machine at the City steam laundry. Three fingers were badly mangled and rings that were forced into them had to be cut by Dr. Logue.

Mr. Sidney Krumrine Guarantees Vin-te-na to put Flesh on thin People.

Vin-te-na builds tissue and muscle, fills out the hollow places, makes graceful curves instead of sharp angles, adds flesh to thin, bony figures, and strengthens as it builds. Vin-te-na improves the appetite, increases the assimluation of food, removes all impurities from the blood, and produces a quick restoration to general health—in fact a lasting cure

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PROF. J. ANGEL

Eye Specialist!

Will be at

The Brockerhoff House

Bellefonte, Pa.

Thursday, June 2nd.

All day until 6:00 p. m.

Prof. J. Angel, the well known eye specialist of Williamsport, who has established a large practice here for a number of years, will make his regular monthly visit.

Prof. Angel, who has helped weak eyes and gave relief to thousands of headache sufferers in this county, will be glad to meet his old patients and new alike. All persons, including children, suffering with headache, weak eyes, defective eye sight or cross eyes, who wish good results and desire to save money, will do well to call on Prof. Angel at the Brockerhoff House, Thursday June 2nd.

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How about house cleaning material? Ammonia, Borax, Moth Balls, Insect Powder, Bug Killer, etc. You can

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If you want anything usually to be found in first-class drug stores, you can

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SIX CENTS DAMAGES.

Awarded Arthur Mitcheltree, of Pine Station, in Suit for Libel.

An echo of the Clendennen murder mystery comes from Poughkeepsie, N. Y., where Arthur W. Mitcheltree, of Pine Station, has just been awarded six cents damages in a libel suit he instituted against the Poughkeepsie News Company.

It will be remembered that a number of papers throughout the country were threatened with libel suits as a result of publishing articles regarding Mitcheltree being taken into custody on the day of Clendennen's funeral. The press associations sent out dispatches telling of the affair, and among other papers the Poughkeepsie News-Press printed it. The headline, "Attended the Funeral of Man He Killed," was placed on the dispatch in the News-Paper office, and the headline constituted the libel.

The plaintiff, however, failed to prove that he had been damaged by the libel, but the judge instructed the jury that they were bound under the law to give him a judgement of at least six cents. As the judgement awarded is less than $50 the plaintiff, Mitcheltree, has to pay the costs of the action.

NOTICE.

Transfer of Tavern License. Notice is hereby given that the petition of Fredrick Mosbarger was this day filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Session, asking the Court that the Tavern License of D. B. Newcomer South Ward of Bellefonte Borough be transfered to him.

M. I. GARDNER
Clerk.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.—Estate of John W. Zettle, dec'd. Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims, to present the same without delay to the undersigned,

JAS. A. B. MILLER,
Rep-6-t. Administrator
Bellefonte, Pa.

FOR SALE & WANT COLUMN.

VALUABLE LIME STONE LAND FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers for sale 80 acres of first-class lime stone land on line of Bellefonte Central Railroad. For terms apply to WILBUR F. REEDER,
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MANAGER WANTED.—Trustworthy lady or gentleman to manage business in this county and adjoining territory for well and favorably known house of solid financial standing. $21.00 straight cash salary and expenses paid each Monday by check direct from headquarters. Expense money advanced. Position permanent. Address Manager, 810 Como Block, Chicago, Illinois.
Rep. June 14, 1904.

SCHOOL TEACHERS, School Directors or others, in any way connected with or interested in schools will learn something greatly to their advantage by addressing Joseph B. Steiner, 605 Arch St., Philadelphia Pa. vol. 37 3-t.

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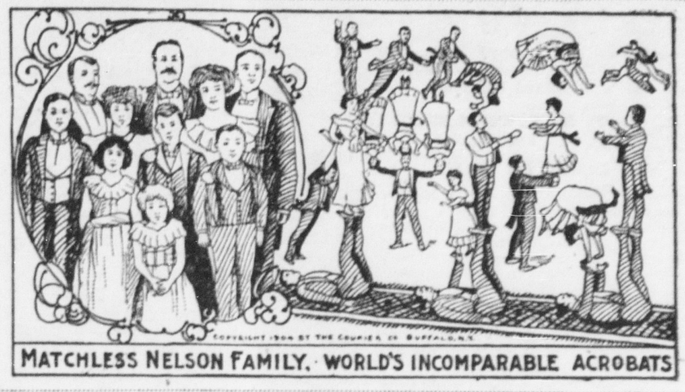

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All sorts of quaint and pretty babies.

40 Irrepressible Clowns 40

Grand Parade At 10:00 A. M.

Free daylight fire works on the grounds at 11:00. Opening of annex 11:30. Doors open to Big Show at 1:00 p. m. Promenade Concert 1:15. Afternoon performance at 2:00. Evening performance doors open at 7, promenade concert 7:15. Evening performance commences at 8. Tents sun and water proof.

TICKETS—admission and reserved seats—NO EXTRA. On sale at Parrish's Drug Store, 18 Alleghany St. At no advance in price from those sold on show ground.

George B. White a Free Man.

George B. White was convicted last May of making false reports to the United States government as to the condition of the National Bank of South Pennsylvania, Hyndman. He was granted a new trial in October and the case was to have been tried in the United States districts court this week, but the government decided that it would be impossible to convict White of the charges preferred against him and on Tuesday the United States district court entered a nolle pros, and White is again a free man.

Two Serious Operations.

Two very delicate operations were performed at the Bellefonte Hospital Thursday morning by Dr. Carl Vischer, of Philadelphia, assisted by Dr. M. J. Locke, of this place, and Dr. W. S. Glenn, of State College.

The first was for the correction of Club feet on Frederick Hemmis, a little baby that was brought to the institution from Karthaus, Clearfield county.

The other was for appendicitis and Miss Eva Davis of Julian, was the patient.

Both of the operations were successful and the patients are getting along nicely.

Special Piano Sale!

...A special opportunity will de given during the next 30 days to buy a standard made Piano, such as the "Knabe," "Schomacher," "Hobart M. Cable," "Briggs," "Blassius," etc., at bargain prices.

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Body Was Wrapped in Rags and Was Found in a Chimney at her Home in New York.

CARE HAD ATTRACTED ATTENTION

NEW YORK, May 13.—Wrapped in rags in a chimney at her home in Third avenue, the body of 6-year old Josephine McCahill, who has been missing since May 2, was found Thursday. The body was lodged near the top of the chimney, and it was necessary to tear away part of the masonry to release it. It is thought that the body was placed there within a day or two. The McCahill case has attracted much attention, the belief being that the child was kidnaped. Rewards aggregating $3,850 were offered by various persons for her recovery and mass meetings were held to consider plans for conducting the search.

Thursday a letter was received by Mrs. McCahill, the child's mother, which read:

"May 9, 1904.—Dear Friend:

"As you made such a fuss, I was compelled to kill Josie. If you give $500 to a boy I will send, you can have the body.

(Signed) "H. M."

"P. S.—Don't mind stories you hear."

The police considered this letter as the work of some heartless meddler.

After leaving her home on May 2 to play in the street the child was seen in Third avenue with a man described as tall and dark. She had a bag of candy in her hand but was crying. That is all the police have had to work on. Their search has proceeded on the belief that the man was an Italian and that the girl would eventually be found in one of the Italian colonies in this or some nearby city.

An examination of the body later, disclosed that it was badly decomposed, but that it had not been mutilated. It has been learned that children of the neighborhood have been accustomed to hide in the chimneys while at play on the roofs and the police now believe that the McCahill girl climbed into the chimney and fell into it.

Twice Thursday, before the body was found, a well dressed young woman called at the McCahill home and said that she had a presentiment that the child would be found in the chimney. On her second visit she expressed surprise that a search of the chimney had not been made on her previous suggestion. She refused to give her name or address and the police are now trying to find her. It was after her second visit that the investigation was made that resulted in the finding of the body.

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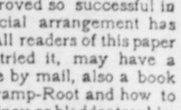

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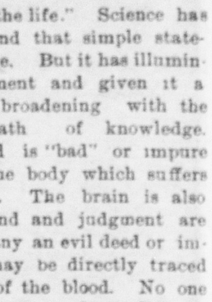

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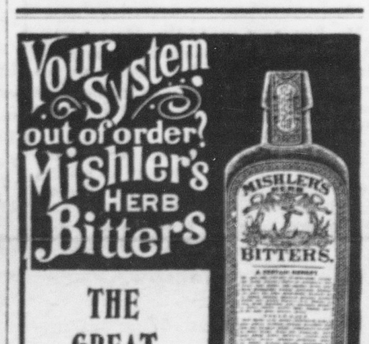
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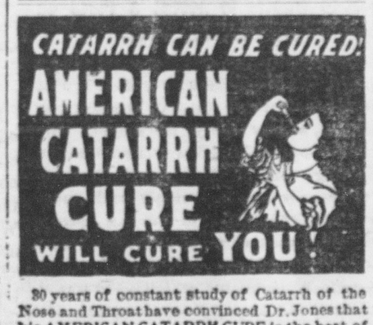

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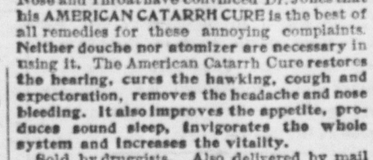

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Schedule in effect Nov. 29 1903

Via Tyrone—Westward

Leave Bellefonte 9.58 a m, arrive at Tyrone 11.05 a m, at Altoona 1 p m, at Pittsburg 5.50 p m

Leave Bellefonte 1.55 p m, arrive at Tyrone 3.15 p m, at Altoona 3.10 p m at Pittsburg 6.55 p m

Leave Bellefonte 4.44 p m, arrive at Tyrone 6.00 p m, at Altoona 6.55 p m, at Pittsburg 10.45 p m

Via Tyrone—Eastward,

Leave Bellefonte 9.58 a m, arrive at Tyrone 11.05, at Harrisburg 2.40 p m, at Philadelphia 5.47 p m

Leave Bellefonte 1.55 p m, arrive at Tyrone 3.10 p m, at Harrisburg 6.35 p m, at Philadelphia 9.28 p m

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Via Lock Haven—Westward.

Leave Bellefonte 1.25 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 2.10 p m, at Buffalo 7.40 p m

Via Lock Haven—Eastward,

Leave Bellefonte 9.32 a m, arrive at Lock Haven 10.50 a m, leave Williamsport 12.40 p m, arrive at Harrisburg 3.15 p m, at Philadelphia at 6.23 p m

Leave Bellefonte 1.25 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 2.10 p m, leave Williamsport 2.55 p m, arrive at Harrisburg 5.00 p m, Philadelphia 7.32 p m

Leave Bellefonte 8 16 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 9 15 p m, leave Williamsport 1.35 m, arrive at Harrisburg 4.15 a m, arrive at Philadelphia 7.17 a m

Via Lewisburg

Leave Bellefonte at 6.40 a m, arrive at Lewisburg at 9.05 a m, Montandon 9.15 a m, Harrisburg 11.30 a m, Philadelphia 3.17 p m.

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WESTWARD. College Acom.	Exp.			EASTWARD. Mail.	Exp.	Bellf Ac
1†	*5	*5		*2	*4	6†
a.m	p m	a m	Lv	Ar	a m	p m
6 30	4 15	10 30	Bellefonte	9 50	2 40	6 40
6 35	4 21	10 37	Coleville	9 40	2 25	6 36
f6 38	f4 25	f10 42	Morris	f 9 37	f2 22	f6 27
f6 43	f4 28	f10 47	Whitmer	f9 35	f2 17	f6 22
f6 46	f4 33	f10 53	Hunters	f9 31	f2 10	f6 20
f6 50	f4 36	f10 56	Filmore	f9 28	f2 06	f6 18
f6 56	f4 40	f11 02	Briarly	f9 24	f2 00	f6 14
7 00	4 43	11 05	Waddle	9 20	1 55	6 10
f7 03	f4 45	f11 08	Lambourn	f9 18	f1 52	f6 07
f7 12	f4 55	f11 20	Krumrine	f9 07	f1 37	f5 58
7 25	5 00	11 15	State College	9 00	1 30	5
f7 27	f5 05	f11 24	Struble	f7 45	f1 34	f5 11
f7 31	f5 10		Bloomsdorf	f7 40		f5 26
7 35	5 15		Pine Grv Mills	7 35		5 18

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"f" stops on flag. †Daily except Sunday.

F. H. THOMAS, Supt

BALD EAGLE VALLEY—PENNSYLVANIA Railroad Division. Daily except Sunday. Schedule in effect on and after May 24, 1903.

Westward.				Eastward		
55	53	51		50	52	54
p m	p m	a m		a m	p m	p m
5 45	12 10	8 55	Lock Haven	10 30	2 10	9 18
5 51	12 16	9 01	Mill Hall	10 22	2 05	9 09
6 02	12 26	9 12	Beech Creek	10 11	1 55	8 58
6 05	12 29	9 15	Eagleville	10 08	1 47	8 55
6 14	12 38	9 24	Howard	9 59	1 47	8 46
6 20		9 30	Mount Eagle	9 53	1 38	8 40
6 25	12 48	9 34	Curtin	9 49	1 29	8 36
6 32	12 55	9 41	Milesburg	9 41	1 24	8 28
6 44	1 05	9 53	Bellefonte,	9 32	1 20	8 16
6 58	1 14	10 01	Milesburg	9 18	1 24	8 08
6 56	1 17	10 04	Snow Shoe Int	9 15	1 17	8 06
7 03	1 22	10 11	Unionville	9 07	1 12	7 57
7 12	1 28	10 20	Julian	8 58	1 06	7
7 21	1 34	10 28	Martha	8 49	1 00	
7 28	1 40	10 35	Port Matilda	8 42	12 55	
7 35	1 46	10 41	Hannah	8 35	12 49	
7 37		10 43	Fowler	8 33		7 28
7 40		10 45	Dix	8 30		7 26
7 46	1 56	10 51	Bald Eagle	8 24	12 36	7 14
7 50	2 00	10 55	Vail	8 20	12 35	7 10
7 54	2 04	10 59	East Tyrone	8 16	12 26	7 06
8 00	2 10	11 05	Tyrone	8 10	12 25	7 00
p m	p m	a m		a m	p m	p m

Nos. 50 and 55 will run daily.

TYRONE AND CLEARFIELD RAILROAD Time table in effect May 24, 1903

NORTHWARD. EXPRESS.	DAY EXPRESS.	MAIL.	STATIONS	SOUTHWARD EXPRESS.	DAY EXPRESS.	MAIL.
P M	P M	A M	Lv Ar	P M	A M	P M
6 50	3 26	8 20	Tyrone	5 50	11 20	5 35
6 56	3 31	8 26	East Tyrone	5 49	11 14	5 29
6 58		8 28	Tyrone S		11 12	5 27
7 01	3 35	8 31	Vail	5 45	11 09	5
7 11	3 46	8 42	Vanscoyoc	5 38	11 02	5 17
7 15	3 50	8 47	Gardner	5 35	10 59	5 14
7 24	3 59	8 57	Mt. Pleasant	5 27	10 51	5
7 30	4 06	9 05	Summit	5 20	10 44	
7 34	4 10	9 09	Sandy Ridge	5 14	10 38	4 56
7 36	4 12	9 11	Retort	5 11	10 35	4 52
7 38	4 14	9 12	Powelton	5 09	10 33	4 50
7 42	4 24	9 21	Osceola	5 00	10 23	4 42
	4 25		Osceola Junct		10 20	4 37
7 54	4 33	9 26	Boynton	7 54	10 17	4 33
7 58	4 37	9 30	Steiners	7 5	10 13	4 29
8 02	4 40	9 40	Phillipsburg	7 48	10 12	4 28
8 06	4 45	9 45	Graham	7 4	10 07	4 20
8 11	4 50	9 50	Blue Ball	7 37	10 02	4 15
8 17	4 56	9 56	Wallaceton	7 32	9 56	4 09
8 22	5 02	10 02	Bigler	7 26	9 50	4 02
8 28	5 08	10 09	Woodland	7 20	9 48	3 55
8 30	5 10	10 13	Mineral Springs	7 17	9 40	3 51
8 34	5 14	10 18	Barrett	7 12	9 36	8
8 36	5 18	10 24	Leonard	7 07	9 32	8
8 45	5 25	10 33	Clearfield	7 02	9 24	
8 50	5 32	10 40	Riverview	6 52	9 15	3
8 56	5 38	10 47	Susque. Bridge	6 45	9 10	3 19
9 00	5 42	10 55	Curwensville	6 40	9 05	3 15
9 06	5 51	11 01	Rustic	6 25	8 57	3 00
9 14	5 59	11 09	Stronach	6 19	8 50	2 5
9 20	6 0	11 15	Grampian	6 15	8 45	2 60
P	P M	P M	Ar Lv	P M	A M	P M

BALD EAGLE AND PHILIPSBURG RAILROAD In effect May 24, 1903.

Westward.				Eastward		
p m	a m			a m	p m	p m
1 38	5 40		Montandon	9 15		4
1 45	6 35		Lewisburg	9 05		4 50
1 50	6 47		Vicksburg	8 53		4 18
2 08	6 55		Mifflinburg	8 45		4 10
2 27	7 07		Millmont	8 33		3 57
2 28	7 13		Glen Iron	8 26		3 49
2 39	7 40		Paddy Mountain	8 00		3 20
3 10	7 50		Coburn	7 50		3 10
3 16	7 57		Zerby	7 43		3 02
3 26	8 05		Rising Spring	7 35		2 54
3 32	8 11		Penns Cave	7 28		2 48
3 38	8 18		Centre Hall	7 22		2 41
3 45	8 24		Gregg	7 17		2 36
3 52	8 31		Linden Hall	7 10		2 30
3 56	8 35		Oak Hall	7 06		2 28
4 01	8 39		Lemont	7 02		2 21
4 04	8 43		Dale Summit	6 57		2 17
4 13	8 52		Pleasant Gap	6 48		2 08
4 16	8 55		Axemann	6 45		2 05
4 20	9 00		Bellefonte	6 40		2 0

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNSYLVANIA. Condensed Time Table.

READ DOWN. No.1	No.5	No.3		READ UP No.6	No.2	No.
a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	Lv, Ar.	p.m	a.m.	p.m
*7 00	*6 45	*2 40	Bellefonte	9 25	9 35	5 15
7 11	6 56	2 51	Nigh	9 12	9 22	5 02
7 16	7 01	2 56	Zion	9 06	9 16	4 56
7 23	7 07	3 03	Hecla Park	9 00	9 10	4 50
7 25	7 09	3 05	Dunkles	8 58	9 07	4 43
7 29	7 13	3 09	Hublersburg	8 54	9 03	4 41
7 33	7 17	3 13	Snydertown	8 50	8 59	4 40
7 35	7 19	4 15	Nittany	8 47	8 56	4 37
7 37	7 21	3 17	Huston	8 44	8 53	4 34
7 41	7 25	3 21	Lamar	8 41	8 50	4 31
7 43	7 27	3 23	Clintondale	8 38	8 47	4 28
7 47	7 31	3 27	Krider's S'n'g	8 33	8 43	4 23
7 51	7 35	3 31	Mackeyville	8 28	8 38	4
7 57	7 41	3 37	Cedar Springs	8 22	8 32	4 13
8 00	7 44	3 40	Salona	8 20	8 30	4 10
8 05	7 50	3 45	Mill Hall	*8 15	*8 25	*4 05
(NEW YORK CENT.)						
11 45		8 40	Jersey Shore		7 40	3 23
12 20		9 10	Arr WM'PORT Lve		*7 10	*2 50
12 29		11 30	Lve Arr		7 00	2 39
(PHILA AND READING RY)						
7 30			PHILA		11 36	*3 38
10 40	6 50		NEW YORK (Via Phila)		87 30	*4 08
p.m.	29 02		Ar.		Lv.	p.m.

*Daily, † Week Days, $ 6 00 p. m. Sunday $ 10 55 a. m. Sunday.

Philadelphia Sleeping Car attached to East bound train from Williamsport at 11.39 p m and, west-bound from Philadelphia a 11 36 p. m.

J. W GEPHART, General Superintendent

IT MUST BE TRUE.

Bellefonte Readers must Come to that Conclusion.

It is not the telling of a single case in Bellefonte but scores of citizens testify. Endorsement by people you know bears the stamp of truth. Then following is one of the public statements made in this locality about Doan's Kidney Pills.

Geo. Gross of Water Street says: "In the summer of 1895 I used Doan's Kidney Pills for backache, procuring them from the Bush Block drug store. Accompanying the pain in my back was an annoyance from the kidney secretions. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me after I had been troubled for years. I thought I was going to have backache again but two years afterwards I went fishing got soaked through and this ended in effecting my back I again restored my old cure Doan's Kidney Pills and they did me good immediately although in the meantime I had taken other remedies but without obtaining relief. I can as conscientiously recommend Doan's Kidney Pills now as I did formerly for backache or kidney trouble."

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—This is a very interesting world from day to day, as the readers of this paper know. Events of vital interest are daily happening and the indications are that the map of the world will be transformed before the end of the first decade of the twentieth century.

Important Decision.

As rehearsed by the Altoona Times, on March 17, 1896, Fred Donithen, who resided in that city, took out a policy of insurance in Mountain City Court, No. 1879, Independent Order of Foresters, for $1,000 designating Loyd Donithen, a single independent brother, as his beneficiary. He was killed on the Pennsylvania railroad on September 29, 1898, being engaged at that time as a brakeman. Mrs. Ella Donithen, widow of the dead man, filed a bill of injunction restraining the payment of the money to the brother. The Foresters asked leave to pay the money into the court, upon which Mrs. Donithen asked for a jury trial, which was refused, and the testimony of the parties was subsequently taken before the sitting as a chancellor. The court dismissed the bill in equity and directed that the fund be paid to Lloyd Donithen.

A torney for Mrs. Donithen appealed the case to the superior court, which sustained the judgement of the lower court, who thereupon carried it to the supreme court which on Monday handed down a decision reversing the decrees of the superior court and the court of common pleas of Blair county, thus making Mrs. Donithen the legal beneficiary.

The case is notable in that the authorities in Pennsylvania have heretofore been uniform to the effect that the insurance money to be paid by beneficial societies must be paid to the beneficiary named in the certificate. But the supreme court has decreed that it is good law for that body to take care of the interests of a man's wife, or widow, after he is dead, if he had not made such provision himself while living.

"Protection is Panic Proof"

is the title of the recent speech of Senator J. H. Gilliger of New Hampshire. The speech has been issued in document form by the American Protective Tariff League One copy will be forwarded to any address upon postal card request addressed to W. F. Wakeman, General Secretary, 339 Broadway, New York Ask for Document No. 78

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Keep the bowels regular with Ayer's Pills, Just one pill each night.

Remarkable Fish Story.

A remarkable story has reached the ears of Fish Commissioner Meehan from Centre Hall, Centre county, where a fisherman recently took a 10-inches brook trout from Laurel Run. When the fish was cut open a large trout hook was found in the intestines upon which the worm was intact. It is the theory of Mr. Meehan that the fish swallowed the hook and a portion of line that was attached to it, after they had been broken off of some fisherman's line by a snag. The fish had been unhurt by the hook and such an occurrence is unprecedented in the knowledge of the commissioner.

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FOUR MILLION SALMON.

To be Planted in the Susquehanna and its Tributaries.

About four million wall-eyed pike, commonly misnomered in this vicinity Susquehanna salmon, will be planted in the Susquehanna river by the state fisheries department either next week or the week following. This will be the largest consignment of these fish ever made to Susquehanna waters and they will be healthy specimens taken from the state aquaria at Erie. Of this number 500,000 will be planted from Steelton and almost as many from New Cumberland. In all 1,590,000 will be consigned to the Susquehanna's water between Harrisburg and Wrightsville, while as many more will be placed in the waters between Harrisburg and Williamsport.

There will also be large plantings in the North Branch and in the West Branch between Williamsport and Renovo, while a large number of young fish will also be put in the waters of the Juniata.

The fish will not be sent to any persons throughout the state who may apply for them as has been done in the case of fish of other kinds, as wall-eyed pike only thrive in certain kinds of water. The men to whom they will be consigned to distribute them in the Susquehanna river have been carefully selected by Fish Commissioner Meehan.

It requires three years for wall-eyed pike to attain a size at which they can be legally caught, and many of the several millions of the fish, that have been planted in the Susquehanna river in the past several years are now being taken by fishermen. The effect of the department's work has become very apparent in the increased number of these fish that are being caught this year. The largest previous planting of wall eyed pike in the Susquehanna was made in 1889, 1890 and 1891, when 3,000,000 in the aggregate were placed in the stream and its various branches.

—The second annual reunion of the Schaeffer-Hazel families will be held this year at Hecla Park Wednesday June 15.

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BENNER TWP.

Acres.	Per	Warrantee.	Supposed Owners.	Taxes.
50		Coon, Andrew	A P Morrison	$ 1 58
100		Hale, J M	W F Reynolds	3 96
50		Lingle, J J	J D Shugert	3 95
50		Moore, John	Wm Grove	2 38
100		Unknown	Chas E Allen	3 14

BOGGS TOWNSHIP.

433	163	Butler, Margaret	Mary E West	11 02
400		Carscadden, D.	Emma Hummel	10 19
433	163	Godfrey, Martha	H C Bennett & Co.	21 09
150		Lane, Sarah	A P Morrison	3 67
300		McCoy, Frank	W C Heinle	6 39
63		Packer & Lewis	A D Lucas	2 55

BURNSIDE TOWNSHIP.

¾ of 433	163	Baskelly	Smith, Rhoades & Smith	10 27
¾ of 379	121	Bell, Wm	" " "	9 00
433	163	" "	A P Morrison	13 69
¾ of 140	22	Cox, Paul	J H Holt	4 04
433	163	Davidson, Wm Jr.	Chas E Allen	24 92
¾ of 483	163	Donaldson, John Smith, Rhoades & Smith		10 27
433	163	Ewing, John	W G Morrison	24 92
¼ of 433	163	Hall, Chas	Frank C Graham	4 16
433	163	" "	Arthur Graham	2 29
433	163	" "	M R Graham	2 29
140		Harris, Henry	Wm Thomas	4 43
¾ of 433	153	Irvin, John	Smith, Rhoades & Smith	10 27
¾ of 433	153	" Mathias	"	10 27
¾ of 433	153	Johnson, Franc	"	10 27
¾ of 333	163	Kerwin, Wm D.	"	7 20
214		Long, J Z	Chas E Allen	17 82
¾ of 130	153	Lenox, David	Smith, Rhoades & Smith	2 74
¾ of 433	153	McPherson, Wm	"	10 27
146	75	Miller, Wm	J C Meyer	8 62
70		Nicholson, John	Geo R Boak	2 62
¾ of 243	153	O'Brien, Mich	Smith, Rhoades & Smith	5 06
64		" "	H S Taylor	4 02
¾ of 183	153	Pettitt, Chas	Smith, Rhoades & Smith	5 90
¾ of 433	163	Stewart, Chas	"	10 27
411		Wharton, Thos P	Fidel'ty Ins Trust Deposit Co	12 96
410	151	Wallace, Jos	F M C Choate	12 96

CURTIN TOWNSHIP.

309	19	Atwood	H C Bennett & Co	10 91
300		"	A P Morrison	8 26
200		Allen, Chas	Wm Harvey	17 33
71	131	Curtain, Roland	H C Bennett & Co	4 06
104		Dehaven, Peter	Samuel Hall	11 55
114		Evans, Cadwaller	"	6 27
294	31	Godfrey, Martha A	P Morrison	8 26
294	31	"	"	8 26
480		Kelso, Joseph	"	12 79
400		Long, J B	"	11 01
178		Lane, Mary	S D Gettig	7 39
300		Leach, Mathew	A P Morrison	8 26
400		Long, J Z	Chas E Allen	11 01
146	75	Miller, Jas	Lycoming Timber & Lumber Co	11 55
158	93	Packer, Job W	Walter L Bennett	4 41
158	93	" J W	W C Heinle	9 24
100		Smith, Peter	Samuel Hall	5 77
½ of 200		Tunis Richard	Wm Harvey	8 54
½ of 200		"	E L Orvis	8 54
415		Taylor, Joseph	A P Morrison	11 30
4 5 of 160		Willis Jonathan	Jas A Beaver, tr'ee	4 41
1-5 of 160		"	Samuel Salor	2 30
160		"	S End Ellis L Orvis	18 48

FERGUSON TOWNSHIP.

⅓	Kohlmeyer	Jacob Kreider	40
3	Morgan, Jas Jr.	Ellis Lytle	28
55	Mitchell, David	Chas L Fitzhugh	80
100	Moore, Thos L.	"	4 66
90	Shannon, John	Thos P Shannon	6 63
23	Unknown	Thos Dubbs	5 45
40	"	W P Stevenson	1 64
150	"	W C Heinle	4 11

GREGG TOWNSHIP.

200	Antis, Henry	Musser & Gephart	3 02
200	Anderson, Jacob	"	30 20
130	Askin, Robt	W H Phillips	2 66
150	Cowden, John	H B Herring	2 90
60	Carson, Andrew	"	1 07
130	Duncan, Daniel	Edward Allison	1 58
70	Gregg, Smith	"	82
122	31 Hepburn, Wm	Mary M Frank	1 69
250	"	H B Herring	4 68
780	Hubley, Barnard	W C Heinle	10 04
380	"	Mary M Frank	5 23
110	Mosby, Jacob	Wm Witmer & Sons	2 93
330	McDowell, Alex	W C Heinle	8 83
200	Tower, Jas	"	5 34
52	Unknown	Grove & Smith	70
51	Unknown	W C Heinle	79

HAINES TOWNSHIP.

359		Antis, Henry	Chas Steele	4 25
135		Cawley, H B	Daniel Engle	2 36
446	26	Dudbridge, Hannah	F H Duffee	4 08
			Laurelton Lumber	
458	63	Epler, Peter	Co	9 78
			John B Linn	12 14
288		Henry, Jos	Laurelton Lumber	
451	157	Harter, A M	Co	9 60
437	108	Hartman, John	H C Hyatt	9 39
106		Lowry, Aaron	A P Morrison	1 02
			Laurelton Lumber	
418	99	Kramer, Geo	Co	8 93
150		Levy, Aaron	J H Reifsnyder	3 22
228		Mosby, Wm	Chas E Allen	4 91
80		Motz, John	Daniel Engle	41
150		Philips, Lewis	J H Reifsnyder	3 32
600		Unknown	W E Smith	8 50
75		"	A P Morrison	82
150		"	"	2 46
125		"	"	1 23
125		"	"	1 23

HALFMOON TOWNSHIP.

167		Anshultz, Geo		8 36
48		Beck, Daniel	Chas E Allen	1 46
50		" Jacob	"	1 46
48		" Daniel	A P Morrison	68
45		Keith, Jacob	Chas I Fitzhugh	5 24
120		Lambourn, Jos'h	F P Blair	3 22
54		Sharer, Isaac	A P Morrison	72
131		Unknown	Elizabeth J Fowler	2 14

HARRIS TOWNSHIP.

245		Simpson, Nathan	Glen Union Lumber Co	13 93
203		"	Beecher & Sober	5 57
407		Wharton, Hear'y	Wm Colyer	11 14
235		Wilson, Samuel	Glen Union Lumber Co	12 54
52		" Wm	"	2 80
15		" Peter	"	1 68
231		" Samuel	Beecher & Sober	5 86
107		" David	"	3 07
159		Work, David	"	4 46
124		" Joseph	"	3 34
79		Conley, Adam	Beecher & Sober	1 11
240		Duff, Andrew	Glen Union Lumber Co	16 73
133		Fox, Andrew	William Colyer	3 63
260		Gregg, Thomas	Glen Union Lumber Co	13 94
140		Henry Stophel		8 36
400		Harrison, Wm	Mary M Frank	5 10
50		Irvin, John	Chas E Allen	1 41
150		"	Mary M Frank	1 91
50		"	"	64
50		"	W C Heinle	1 41
260		McClelland, Geo.	Glen Union Lumber Co	18 12
250		Mitchell, Jno	"	13 93
198		"	Beecher & Sober	5 57
400		Patterson, Robt	Chas E Allen	11 14
400		Parker, Richard	William Witmer & Sons Co	2 55
170		Reynolds, John	Glen Union Lumber Co	11 60
460		Reed, James	Mary M Frank	5 10
100		Sankey, Thos	Glen Union Lumber Co	1 41

HOWARD TOWNSHIP.

217		Bouham, Sarah	Rosanna C Rogers	5 84
415		Godfrey, Martha	Chas E Allen	23 26
25		Greysburg, Jos'h	C M Bower	1 70
415		Goodfrey, Martha	A P Morrison	10 87
25		Greysburg, Jas	"	80
33	151	Holter, Jacob	C J Curtis	1 23
136	92	Harris, Jas. D	D T Allison	3 71
40		Josthu, H. A	Chas Rothrock	1 59

HUSTON TOWNSHIP.

433	163	Baxter, Jas	J W Gephart	23 93
239		Gratz,	J A Williams and Susan Hartsock	23 41
120		Kuhn, Adam	Wm A Thomas	1 60
150		" Wm	"	2 13
56		"	S T & M D Gray	1 60
231		Moore,	Chas E Allen	12 19
433	163	Weiland, John	Chas Lewis	11 40
102		—, Williams	A P Morrison	2 65

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP.

80	Garrel, Wm	A P Morrison	2 13
196	Hayes, R. & Jas.	D & J Beehtol	9 45
⅛ of 300	Irvin, Robert	W H Gardner	8 34
200	Krouse, Daniel	A P Morrison	5 30
33	Mahaffey, Wm	L J Delong	2 22
60	Nestlerode, C	Baizer Weber	3 33
80	Smith, Robert	A P Morrison	2 39

MARION TOWNSHIP.

50	Allison, Wm	Franklin Weight	2 93
197	Harris, A. D	Mary M Frank	2 86
20	Lewis, Thomas	Ishler & Musser	56
41	Lingle, J J	H S Taylor	1 12
17	Lewis, Thos	Wm Corman	1 43
53	McCalmont,	A P Morrison	86
200	Unknown	Isaac Frain	5 88
17	"	E C Tilghman, Jr	73
17	"	W Johnsonbaugh	4 83
50	"	D T Allison	1 44
8	Waite, Wm	Wm Waite	32
199	Zanizinger, Paul	Thos Vail	2 94

MILES TOWNSHIP.

200		Antis, Henry	J H Reifsnyder	9 88
200		" Frederick	"	4 94
3275	of 300	Boyd, Thos	Sarah J Rine	3 20
299		Brady, Wm. P	Harry Keller	7 16
440		"	Mrs Nathan Haugh	10 84
273		Barton, Wm	"	24 69
75		"	Kulp & Co	3 90
100		Brooks, Jesse	J H Reifsnyder	2 47
100		Benson, Peter	W R Goodman	4 94
9		Buchtell, John	Isaac Miller	45
150		Cooper, Wm	J F Reifsnyder	3 90
403		Caruthers, Jas	Mrs N Haugh	9 88
320		Fearon, Joseph	J H Reifsnyder	7 89
66		Hepburn, Jas	Mrs Geo Wolfort	4 68
217		"	"	4 94
108		Hall, Chas	J H Reifsnyder	2 73
10		"	W O Royer	68
130		Housel, John	J H Reifsnyder	7 89
250		"	W C Heinle	6 18
80		Kreamer, Peter	Keen, Alexander & Jamesson	47
320		Kitts, Geo	Chas E Allen	7 89
17		Lattimore, Robt	Harry Keller	56
400		Lake, Richard	W R Goodman	19 74
100		Levy, Rachel	J H Reifsnyder	4 90
410		Miles, Thomas	Harry Keller	10 17
58		Parker, Wm	W C Heinle	1 44
400		Seigfried, Daniel	Harry Keller	9 88
75		Toneo, Thos	A P Morrison	1 18
12		Unknown	B F Shaffer	13
7-12	of 72	Shaffer, Michael	J H Reifsnyder	3 94
100		Unknown	Harry Keller	2 46
44		"	"	97
13	45	"	J L Rogers	20
280		Wistar, Martin	Wm S Moyer	19 77
38		Weaver, David	Mrs Geo Wolfort	27
43	63	Young, Benj	Wm Witmer & Son	60

PATTON TOWNSHIP.

150		Deihl, John	Elizabeth T Hamilton	13 26
10		Gover, Robert	Ellis Lytle	1 35

PENN TOWNSHIP.

300	Montgomery	W J C Meyer	6 94
276	"	Daniel	6 68
46	Kreamer, Peter	J H Reifsnyder	1 14

POTTER TOWNSHIP.

330	Anderson, John	Wm Witmer & Sons Co	5 56
400	Brady, Wm. P	Mary M Frank	6 77
265	Blair, Joseph	Glen Union Lumber Co	25 89
330	Barger, Adam	William Witmer & Sons Co	5 56
300	Brown, John	"	5 05
80	Cameron,	Chas Steele	2 60
400	Cogwell, Daniel	W C Heinle	6 74
155	Dewart, Wm	Wm Witmer Sons & Co	2 59
155	Ewing, Jasper		2 52
268	Falls, Thomas	Glen Union Lumber Co	25 98
60	100 Felamalee, Moses	Bruce D Williams	33
20	Fulmer, H. B	Geo L Goodhart	33
196	"	Chas Steele	6 50
400	Emerick, Jno	Wm Witmer Sons & Co	6 74
275	Gordon, Thomas	Glen Union Lumber Co	8 09
155	Gettig, Christian	Wm Witmer Sons & Co	2 53
150	Goben, Chas	"	2 53
400	Hoffman, Wm	Ashland Lum'r Co	6 74
400	Harrison, Wm	Grove & Smith	11 99
400	Hoffman, Wm	Wm Marrow	3 25
62	Hunter, Alex	Wm Witmer Sons & Co	1 01
266	Jacobs, G	Glen Union Lumber Co	25 98
400	Levy, Daniel	W C Heinle	11 99
288	McKin, Robert	Beecher & Sober	27 95
248	" David	"	23 26
166	86 " Robert	Glen Union Lumber Co	16 24
200	138 " David	"	19 49
105	McClelland, Geo.	Ashland Lum'r Co	3 57
190	Martin, Thos	Wm Witmer Sons & Co	3 37
278	Norris, John	Glen Union Lumber Co	26 97
280	Reeder, R. C	"	27 29
34	83 Rapp, Jacob	Samuel Bruss	51
35	Shires & Fullmer	Wm Witmer Sons & Co	51
100	Sawyer, Wm	Chas Steele	3 25
400	"	Wm Witmer Sons & Co	7 14
92	Shires, Jno	"	1 53
108	61 Telley, Ferrell	Ellen H Andrews	3 58
200	Unknown	Wm Witmer Sons & Co	3 47
170	Vanderslice, H'ry	"	2 86

RUSH TOWNSHIP.

168	10	Allison, James	S D Gettig	22 86
40	10	Atherton, Rich'd	J Pemberton Ellis	28 58
390	110	Arthur, Ann	W C Heinle	27 82
433	153	Brickley, Daniel	Passmore & Lichten	29 16
433	153	Britches, Isaac	Frank P Blair	14 57
100		Copenhaver, Jno	W C Heinle	7 12
250		"	Chas E Allen	17 82
250		"	"	17 82
311		Eberman, Philip	John Blanchard	22 21
50		French, Adam	S R Pringle	1 68
50		Groe, Elizabeth	Thos G McCausland	3 17
121	152	" McKean	Chas E Allen	8 60
433		Gundaker, Jno	J Pemberton Ellis	92 86
433	153	Grant, Thos	W C Heinle	30 94
433	153	Hamilton, Thos	F P Blair	30 94
433	163	Hopkins, John	Passmore & Lichten	29 15
434	163	Haines, Reub. Jr.	Frank P Blair	14 58
433	153	Hamilton, Hugh	W C Heinle	30 94
¾ of 432	153	Irvin, Robert	Ed M Leifer, Est	30 34
396		Jordon, Benj	W C Heinle	28 29
368	147	Lathrop, Wm. A	Chas E Allen	25 77
120	80	Libby, John	"	8 56
433	153	Lee, John	H C Bennett & Co	30 94
50		Long, A. B	A P Morrison	1 68
433	153	Lowdon, John	"	30 94
100		McCord, J R & A Campbell	McCord J R & A Campbell	3 56
433	163	Malone, Richard	F P Blair	34 94
433	153	"	"	34 94
431	153	"	"	34 94
433	153	Miller, J J	"	34 94
¾ of 433	153	Morgan, R B	Ed Leifer, Est	10 28
¾ of 433	153	Musser, John	"	10 28
433	153	Meyer, Jacob	Jno H Orvis, Est	154 34
100		Miller, Magnus	Robt Henderson	3 37
¾ of 433	153	Peters, Richard	Ed M Leifer, Est	10 28
117		Phillips, Hard'n	J Pemberton Ellis	41 81
177	84	"	A P Morrison	5 98
38		Robison, Wm H.	Thos G McCausland	2 70
36		"	"	2 58
218	80	Rainey, Robert	Frank P Blair	15 56
433	153	Rush, Benj	W C Heinle	30 94
433	153	Spear, John	H C Bennett & Co	30 94
433	153	Smith, Mary	C M Bower	30 94
433		Slough, Geo	J Pemberton Ellis	92 89
432	155	Tonor, Jas	Thos G McCausland	30 94
153	153	"	A P Morrison	5 18
433	153	Turner, Daniel	F P Blair	14 58
433	153	" James	A P Morrison	30 94
80		Unknown	Chas E Allen	5 72
89		"	"	5 72
6		"	S R Pringle	34
193		Witmer, Henry	Edward French	6 20
250		White & Parsons	A P Morrison	8 42
108		Wilson, John	Jas Passmore	7 28
328	¾	"	Passmore & Lichten	21 91
433	153	Wallace, Jos J	Frank P Blair	14 58
433	153	Wilson, Wm	"	30 94
80		Witmer, Henry	Ida G Richards	5 39

SPRING TOWNSHIP.

419		Johnson, John	Grove & Smith	13 25
15		Kurtz, John L	A P Morrison	24
100		McClure, Wm	Maria Gregg Lippincott	1 68
216		"	Chas F Schad	6 69
250		Toole, Henry	Grove & Smith	7 88
5		Moore, John	Oscar Gill	09
75		Unknown	A P Morrison	1 16
100		Wilson, Wm	John Bilger	1 53

SNOW SHOE TOWNSHIP.

433	153	Bayard, Andrew	W C Heinle	24 50
412		Carscadden, D.	C M Bower	23 34
400	120	"	Carmen Coombs	14 28
1-5	433 163	Fisher, Jno C	S Saylor	11 05
1-5	433 163	" Sam'l W	"	11 05
⅛ of 400		Holt, Edgar	J J & C M Bower	11 31
⅛ of 400		"	J H Holt	8 49
250		Pall, Peter	C M Bower	14 16
162		Jones, Richard	Chas E Allen	9 17
49		Mitchell, Wm P.	Harriet E Pentland	1 15
433	1.0	Misner, Luie	R C Coombs	12 39
400		Martin, Alex	A P Morrison	11 42
400		"	Chas E Allen	22 65
216		Parker, Jerem'h	Samuel Hall, Est	15 30
360	144	Reilly, John	M I Gardner	20 19
433	153	Spear, Margaret	Chas E Allen	24 57
433	163	Summers, Andw	Chas Hewitt	66
260		Tomkins, James	C M Bower	14 72
162		" Jos	Hugh Ward	4 63
433	153	Wharton, Kear'y	H C Bennett & Co	24 57
415		Wahn, Richard	"	23 52
415		Wharton, Sarah	Balser Weber	11 86
277	56	" Margaret M.	Samuel Hall, Est	19 61

TAYLOR TOWNSHIP.

39		Adams, Nathaniel	John F Mattern	2 61
76		Anshultz, Geo	A P Morrison	2 11
100		Belt, J C	"	2 75
80		Beck, Jacob	"	4 63
100		Beck, Daniel	"	5 27
400		Bell, Wm	P W Hartwell	11 00
58		Bechdel, John	W C Heinle	2 94
45		Berryhill, And'w	Mary F Hoover	1 38
100		Campbell, Rob't.	Pittsburg Safe Deposit Co	2 75
23		Craig, Jane	John F Mattern	2 09
100		Cowher, James	Chas E Allen	5 27
300		Drake, Jos	M J & John Henderson	16 52
48		Fox, James	A P Morrison	1 32
186		Hammond Nich-las	Jos McMonigal & Copenhaver	10 26
100		Hoover, John	"	5 51
433	153	McCommon, Tos.	H C Bennett & Co	11 96
424		McEwen, Henry	"	24 96
424		" Polly	"	24 96
101		" Thos	A P Morrison	2 75
216	156	" Polly	"	6 05
148		Merryman, Eliza.	Pittsburg Safe Deposit Co	10 19
50		Mong, Geo	"	2 75
72		Merryman, Thos.	Wm Miller	4 52
100		Moore, Jas	Chas E Allen	5 39
200		Pruner, E. J	J C Meyer	23 52
82		Sherrick, John	John F Mattern	9 52
128		Thomas, Jno W.	A P Morrison	3 53
128		"	"	2 75
119		"	"	3 30
100		Unknown	"	2 75
433	133	Williams, Josiah	"	11 96
100		Wilson, Wm	W C Heinle	2 75

UNION TOWNSHIP.

100		Brown, Wm	A P Morrison	5 25
100		Blake, Jane	"	2 45
40		Boyce, Davis	Willard S Fisher	2 11
250		Deal, Ann	A P Morrison	6 12
52		Fisher, Wm P	Wm P Fisher	1 22
100		Fisher, Wm P	Wm P Fisher	63
200		Kuhn, P R	W A Thomas	4 90
200		"	Harriet Pentland	4 90
159	140	Mann, Harvey	Ellis L Orvis	8 40
100		Phillips, Samuel	A P Morrison	2 45
100		"	W C Heinle	5 25

WALKER TOWNSHIP.

143	11	Ackert, Wm	Jesse L Cresse, Atty	3 65
94	98	Daugherty, M'gt.	Chas E Allen	2 33
22	47	Hahn, Ebenezer	A P Morrison	
73		Lingle, J J	Isaac Beckles & Sons	1 56
50		McKee, Samuel	B F Shaffer	34
92		Rarker, Jeremiah	"	67
91		" Richard	"	60
50		Piles, Jas	J R Thompson	76
400		Parker, Jeremiah	"	1 26
100		Robinson, Rich'd	C V Evans	1 33
14	100	Rohrer, Christ'n	Ed L Yearick	2 27
21	6	"	John Dorman	1 68
162		Warden, Jere'mh	B F Shaffer	1 37
12		Wilson, Robert	Zimmerman & Robinsen	1 26

WORTH TOWNSHIP.

150		Gray, J B D	W C Heinle	6 80
250		"	A P Morrison	15 83
223		Hawthorn, Michael, Jas. & Jos	O D Eberts	13 88
776		Abr., George & Mathias Kuhn	Hammond Fire Brick Co	21 43
100		Unknown	Alice Laird	6 81

TREASURER'S SALE OF SEATED LANDS:—At the same time and place as given in the Treasurer's Sale of Unseated Lands, will be sold the following tracts or lots of land returned by the tax collector of the following districts, respectively, for the years 1900 and 1901, to the Commissioners of Centre county, for non-payment of taxes, according to the provisions of the several Acts of Assembly relative to the sale of seated land for taxes;

Description.	Owners.	Taxes.
BELLEFONTE BORO.		
H & L	Robt V Miller	121 88
1 Lot	James Burnes	3 95
1 Lot	Brew & McClain	7 88
1 Lot	Sarah Fogleman	3 95
1 Lot	Mrs Cyrus Goss	5 82
1 Lot	Frank Hipple	13 13
1 Lot	W C Heinle	6 57
1 Lot

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orrespondents should write uponbut one side of the paper and avoid the use of pale or fancy inks.

EARLE C. TUTEN.

BRIEF MENTION

Short Items of Local Interest Gathered By The Way Side

—Captain Hugh S. Taylor will make the Memorial Address at Boalsburg this year.

—Mr Buller, Supt., of the Bellefonte fish hatchery has tendered his resignation.

—Mrs. George Hastings, at Hasting's Station suffered a stroke of paralysis on Tuesday.

—The rumor in regard to the Bellefonte Furnace closing down is without official foundation.

—The weather is still decidedly uncertain. Eternal vigilance is the price of continued health.

—John Brown, one of Tyrone's oldest and most highly respected colored citizens died Friday, aged over 87 years.

—Mrs. Parsons, who was a patient in the Bellefonte Hospital several weeks ago died at her home in Scotia Thursday.

—The railroads are offered low rates to the Louis Exposition, but nothing is known as to what it will cost to get away.

—The plans for the new Y. M. C. A., building have been prepared and are now on exhibition in Montgomery & Company's store window.

—Learn the how even if you have no opportunity to learn the why. Working tools is what you want more than the name of the manufacturer.

—James T. Shillingford has been appointed by the Governor to fill the unexpired term of W. S. Wells, Justice of the Peace, resigned at Osceola.

—The Encampment and Exhibition of the Patrons of Husbandry of Central Pennsylvania, will be held at the Grange Park, at Centre Hall, the week of September 19th.

—We are happy to state that Rev. W. B. Cox of the Evangelical church has recovered from his recent attack of diphtheria and is able to be out and around again.

—Ray the 13 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hassinger of Millheim died at her parents home in that place Tuesday morning after a short illness of scarlet fever.

—Elwood Mateer who went from here to take charge of the Bell Telephone office at Lock Haven has recieved another promotion. This time he goes to Lebanon, a larger and better field.

—We believe it was Sydney Smith who defined gratitude to be "a lively sense of favors to come." How seldom we find it to be—what it ought to be—a lively appreciation of past favors.

—Frank, the 4 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Knarr died Tuesday, of scarlet fever at his home in Millheim. Frank was a very bright child and his parents have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

—"Housecleaning is a sort of craze with some women," remarked a married man the other day. "I heard a woman who was cleaning say that now she was in the height of her glory. It sets some women wild, and men, too."

—The coming annual meeting of the West Branch Medical association is expected by the members of the medical profession to be a very enjoyable event. This will be the 11th annual meeting of the association and will be held at the Bush House, in Bellefonte, this Thursday, the 19th inst, at 2 o'clock. The annual banquet will take place at 7 o'clock this evening

—Jacob Fisher an old resident of Haines township, died at the home of Jacob Reed in Aaronsburg, on Tuesday. Deceased was unmarried, and was born in Millersburg, Pa. His age was 75 years, and 10 months. He was a veteran of the civil war, a member of the 148 regiment, and served until mustered out Funeral Thursday. Interment in the Lutheran cemetery at Aaronsburg. In his earlier years he had his home at Adam Winkleblechs, at Pine Creek, south of Aaronsburg, being a relative of that family and of Mrs. Jacob Reed.

—It is to be hoped the Post Office Department will grant the request of the Bellefonte business men and people along the Bald Eagle Valley asking for extra mail clerks on two more trains, a favorable report having been given for the necessity of the increased mail service, A large petition signed by Bellefonte business people was sent into the department a couple months ago. The trains asked for to have mail clerks put on are the ones from Lock Haven to Tyrone leaving here at 1.05 p. m. and from Tyrone to Lock Haven leaving here at 8.16 p. m. It is a very much needed service and will greatly benefit people along the Bald Eagle Valley R, R. as well as improve the Bellefonte service. It is to be hoped the change will be made soon.

—Mrs. Wesley Heaverly of Eagleville, who were so severely burned a few weeks ago, is reported to be steadily recovering from her injuries.

—Warren Colton, fifteen years old, in alighting from a Philadelphia and Reading train near Bucknell Institute, Lewisburg, Saturday night, struck a bridge and severed an artery in his arm. He bled to death.

—Miss Flo Duck, of Spring Mills, who for two years successfully taught the grammar school in Centre Hall, has secured a position as instructor in the Orphans' school at Sunbury, which institution is under the management of the I. O. O. F.

—The Hope farm, containing one hundred acres, located near Coatesville, recently purchased by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, will be utilized as a producer of railroad ties. Forty five thousand young spruce trees were shipped to be planted on the farm.

—Company B 5th Regt. N. G. P. will participate in the parade and exercises at Centre Hall this year on Memorial Day. They will leave immediately after the services here in Bellefonte and reach Centre Hall by six o'clock the time set for their exercises.

—Clark Harteock, of Half Moon Valley has entered the employ of F. Potts Green, Bellefonte's enterprising druggist, to learn the drug trade. Mr. Harteock is a bright, industrious young man and no doubt he will make an efficient clerk and an excellent druggist.

—The grocery firm of W. Irvin & Son, of this place, has been dissolved and Harry Irvin will continue the business in the future under the firm name of H. W. Irvin. Harry has been associated with his father in the business for the past four years and we have no doubt he will make a success of it in the future.

—Thomas McClimant, of Munson, aged about fifty years, during a fit of melancholy, Friday afternoon at his own home shot himself in the face with a revolver, nearly severing his nose. The shooting will not prove fatal, but will greatly disfigure the face of the unfortunate man. He is married, and has four grown up children.

—Deputy Secretary of Agriculture A. L. Martin has stated that a week's normal school will be held in connection with the annual farmers' institute, at Bellefonte and State College, from Monday, October 10 to Saturday, October 15, and it will undoubtedly be the most important agriculture gathering the state has ever known.

—Clayton Stover, son of Mrs. Rosie Stover, of Farmers Mills, was kicked on the stomach by a horse Tuesday of last week and severely injured. The young man is employed by Ammon Decker, of near Spring Mills, and while plowing one of the horses got astride the trace, and it was in his endeavor to get the tangle straightened out that the animal kicked him. Dr. Braucht rendered the necessary professional attention, and at this writing the youth is improving.

—Gregg Post No 95 G. A. R., is preparing a great program for Memorial Day this year. Gen. James A. Beaver will deliver the address of the day in Bellefonte. Strange as it may seem this is the first time Gen. Beaver has addressed his home Post on such an occasion. Heretofore New York or some other of the larger towns and cities have laid claim to his services. Those who attend the services here can therefore be assured of a treat.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Caskey, of Orgon, Missouri, announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Henrietta, to Mr. William Frank Bible which happy event will take place in the Presbyterian church at Oregon Wednesday evening May 25th 1904 at 8:30 o'clock. The many friends of Will Bible in this vicinity will learn with interest and pleasure of this nuptial event. He is a son of Frank E. Bible of Valley View, Benner township and a highly respected young man

—The great success of the new retaining wall along North Water street above the High street bridge, as exhibited during the recent Spring floods, and on the other hand the damage to the important roadway south of the bridge leading to the big Spring, gives us the hope that council will not long delay the building of a good retaining wall and the straightening of the road at the latter named place. The cost will not be over one-third what the other wall was. As the summer weather and time for low water approaches, let council act quickly and make this substantial and necessary and at the same time beautifying improvement.

—The Advertising Agency of W. S Hill & Company favorably known to the newspaper publishers throughout the country have incorporated under the title of W. S. Hill Company with a paid up capital of $100,000,00, Pennsylvania Charter, and are now located in larger and more complete offices, Ninth Floor of the Vandergrift Building, 323 Fourth Avenue, Pittsburg. This agency is fully equipped with a competent corps of illustrators and business writers, which enables them to place at the disposal of their clients and new advertisers every assistance for the planning and development of intelligent and effective advertising. W. S. Hill Company has justly earned the title of "A Dependable Agency."

GOING TO THE COUNTRY.

England is just now sending the greatest number of emigrants to Canada in her history. From the factories and towns of the island they are flocking to the great Northwest by every steamer, and it is estimated that thousands of them have gone since the first of the year. Trade depression and the consequent uncertainty of steady work have made farming in the new world very attractive to these people and, significantly enough, whole families are on their way westward.

It is singular how man turns to the country in times of disaster. Its peace and the even current of its events have a certain witchery about them that makes the hum and bustle of the city wearisome and the hurrying thousands on the streets maddening, The change is not always what it promises when viewed in perspective, but other things being equal, it seems as fixed a rule that man having come from the country must go back to it as that being made of dust to dust he must return. The denser the population the more extensive the sweep of this mental atavism.

The farmer is the real king of men. He may not issue the orders, but he rules just the same. His is the wealthiest class of society and the most stable, for the things that upset others pass him by. His markets are always sure, and he can never outstrip the demand for what he supplies. When idleness rules in the cities his tasks are just as many and the attention they must receive is just as imperative. He works from sun to sun, and physically, mentally and morally he profits by it. Vice and inaction are bedfellows, and the farm has no place for either. England has reclaimed a wonderful part of the world from savagery, and it is the call of the wild that has enabled her to do so.

Commencement at State.

The following is the program for Commencement week at State College, June 12-15, 1904,

SUNDAY, JUNE 12

10.30 a. m.—Baccalaureate Sermon by the Rev. Lawrence M. Colfelt, D. D Philadelphia.

MONDAY, JUNE 13

2.00 p. m.—Class Day Exercises of the Class of 1904

3.30 p. m.—Annual Athletic Contest

7.30 p. m.—Junior Oratorical Contest

TUESDAY, JUNE 14

9.30 a. m.—Annual Meeting of the Board of Trustees

11.00 a. m.—Address Before the Phi Kappa Phi Society.

12.00 m.—Alumni Luncheon (in the Armory)

2.30—Meeting of the Alumni Association.

2.30—Meeting (in Room No. 121) of Delegates and Alumni to elect Trustees.

4.00 p. m.—Exhibition Drill, by the Cadet Battalion

8.00 p. m.—Presentation of "The House of Trouble" by "The Thespians"

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15

10.00 a. m.—Graduation Exercises and Presentation of Tower Clock by the Class of 1904

Commencement Address, "The Opening Future" By the Rev. William Elliott Griffis, Ithaca, New York.

Bit Broke and Horse Ran Away.

Mifflinburg Telegraph.

On last Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reish were out in the country enjoying a buggy ride. On their way home, coming down a hill in the vicinity of Emanuel Crouse's place in West Buffalo Twp., the bit broke, the horse running away, and uncontrollable by Mr. Reish. Thereupon, per his advice, his wife leaped from the buggy, he following her,—a wise thing to do under the circumstances. In striking the earth Mrs. Reish had her left ankle sprained. Mr. Reish was unhurt. A farmer friend in that section then brought them to their home. The runaway horse ran into and through town, up Chestnut street to the western limits of the borough turned around and dashed eastward on the same street to Fourth, where he made the turn all right and cantered up to the stable of his owner, Mr. J. K. Reish, where he stopped. No damages was sustained by the horse, buggy or harness, save the broken bit. Ed.—Mrs. Reish nee Miss Beesie Hayes is a sister of Dr. R. G. H. Hayes and is well known in Bellefonte where for a number of years she made her home.

Wanted—Educated man or woman over 25, teacher prefered, for responsible well paying and steady position if competent, Reference required. Give full information, and address G. A Coventry Bellefonte. Small salary and commission will be paid, full instruction given. d-3t

PERSONALS

Short But Newsy Personals of Those Who Come And Go.

Samuel Davis of Jersey Shore, is visiting friends in Bellefonte.

Miss Madeline Rowe of Bellefonte is visiting friends in Philipsburg.

D. W. Holt, of Philipsburg, was a business visitor in town Thursday.

Christian Buck, of Unionville, transacted business in Bellefonte Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Hall, of Snow Shoe, were Bellefonte visitors Thursday.

Rev. W. B. Cox of the Evangelical church is visiting his parents at Dushore, Pa.

Miss Mary Nolan left Saturday for Tyrone where she will visit her brother, John Nolan.

Henry C. Quigley Esq., commissioner in bankruptcy, transacted business in Lock Haven Thursday.

Dr. Carl Vischer, the noted surgeon from Philadelphia, transacted business in Bellefonte last week.

Mrs. Will Cowdrick, of Niagara Falls, was here to attend the funeral of Col. Edmund J. Pruner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meese returned Thursday evening from a two weeks sojourned at Atlantic City.

Col. Edward R. Chambers, left Tuesday morning for Lancaster, Pa., where he has business of importance to transact.

Mrs. W. Fred Reynolds and Miss Louisa Valentine returned home Friday morning from a short visit to Philadelphia.

Mrs. Yette Sternberg, who has been visiting Mrs. C. M. Bower, of East Linn street, left Friday morning for her home in Philadelphia.

Rufus J. Foster, vice-president of the International Correspondence School at Scranton, Pa., was a business visitor in Bellefonte over Thursday night.

Mrs. Annie T. Glenn and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Boyd Wilson, both of Altoona, were visitors over Thursday night at the home of Col. David F. Fortney.

Thomas A. Shoemaker was an arrival home Friday morning from the western part of the state where his large business interests demand the greater part of his time.

Wood's Bathgate, who clerks in the Pennsylvania Railroad office at Altoona, passed through Bellefonte Saturday on his way to Lemont where he spent Sunday.

Mrs. George Green, formerly Miss Rebecca Blanchard, of this place, came up from her home in Lock Haven Thursday evening, to visit Mr. and Mrs. John M. Shugert.

Mrs. David Haines left Friday afternoon for Beaver Falls, where she will spend the next few weeks visiting her son Mr. Charles Haines.

Will Bronse, who is working for the Westinghouse Airbrake Company at Wilmerding, near Pittsburg, is at home to attend the Commencement exercises of the Bellefonte High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodor Cherry left for Philadelphia Friday morning to attend the funeral of Minnie Catherine Dawson, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dawson of Philadelphia.

Misses Lillian Walker, Mame Hamilton, Bessie and Ida Orris, Eva Crisseman and Adaline Lyon were among those who attended the Phi Delta-Theta dance at State College Wednesday night.

Fred Kurtz Jr., the genial editor of the Lewisburg *Journal*, who prints one of the brightest and cleanest weeklies that comes to our sanctum table, visited his father and brother in this place Friday.

Joe Gingher left Tuesday morning to spend sometime along the banks of the Bald Eagle. Joe has been in bad health for the past two months and his physician has recommended good country air and lots of exercise.

Herbert Hassinger returned Saturday to Williamsport where he will take his final examination at the Commercial College. Herbert is a very industrious young man and Prof. Hughes considered him one of the brightest mathematicians ever at the Academy.

W. O. Robison of Philipsburg was in Bellefonte Friday. He was here in the interest of the Pure Food case, which was recently won by him, and which is being appealed to the higher courts as a test case by the Pure Food authoritist.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Thomas and their children, Francis and Mary, left Friday morning for Savannah, Ga., where Mr. Thomas will attend the meeting of the Freight Claim Association of which he is a member. On their way going and coming they will visit Lancaster, Philadelphia, Atlantic City and other points.

Emiddio Torsell the enterprising cobbler will leave Bellefonte about the 21st of May to visit his father and mother in Colliano, Italy. Mr. Torsell has been in America for the past ten years and in all that time he has not seen his parents, so he proposes closing up his shop for a few months, and will take a long vacation. Any person having shoes there should call for them before the 21st of May.

In every receipt that calls for cream of tartar and soda or other quick leavening agent use Royal Baking Powder. It will make the food of finer flavor, more digestible and wholesome.

Miss Alice Kreamer is visiting friends in Williamsport.

Hon. W. C. Heinle was a Lock Haven visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. John Woomer spent Monday with friends in Mill Hall.

H. E. Garbrick was a business visitor in Mill Hall Monday.

Robert Cole was a business visitor in Lock Haven Saturday.

Miss Jane Furst has returned from a weeks visit in Philadelphia.

W. C. Patterson of State College was a Bellefonte visitor Saturday.

Frank S. Tomlinson, of Clearfield, is visiting friends in Bellefonte.

William Royer of Bellefonte called on friends in Mill Hall Tuesday.

Mrs. David Barlett is visiting her daughter Mrs. Carl Lilliahl in Altoona.

Ex County Commissioner Thomas W. Fisher of Unionville spent Saturday in town.

Dr. R. G. H. Hayes and Harry Keller Esq., transacted business in Tyrone Wednesday.

John Knisely was in Philipsburg last week looking up his political fences in that vicinity.

Miss Edna Whitehead, of McKeesport, is a pleasant guest at the home of Rev. A. Davidson on High street.

Ex-Judge A. O. Furst, accompanied by his stenographer, Miss Orris, transacted business in Coburn Friday.

Rev. James P. Hughes, was in Huntingdon Saturday visiting some of his old friends and witnessing the base ball game.

A. A. Stevens of Tyrone was in town Saturday, looking after the extensive interests of the American Lime and Stone Company.

Oscar Kling, who is employed in the Pennsylvania Railroad office at Altoona, spent Sunday at his home in Jacksonville.

George R. Meek departed Saturday for St. Louis where he will spend the next week or ten days taking in the big World's Fair.

Dr. Laura Hafer, of Providence, Rhoade Island, is here to attend the graduating exercises at the Bellefonte High School.

Mrs. Harry Clevenstine, who had been called to Hanover on account of the serious illness of her mother, returned to Bellefonte Saturday.

Mrs. D. J. Meyer, of Centre Hall, is attending the High School Commencement exercises this week and is a guest of her son, Prof. John D. Meyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur F. Harris and baby daughter, of Mechanicsburg, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harris of East Howard street.

Mrs. William Smith of Johnstown, accompanied by her two interesting little children, are guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Otto on Lamb street.

Lowell S. Musser and wife of Altoona, are guests at Thomas H. Harters home on Allegheny street. Mr. and Mrs. Musser are now on their "honeymoon" and Bellefonte is a magnificent place to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Garman and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Garman left Wednesday morning for Tyrone to attend the wedding of Robert Garman and Miss Virginia Bouse which took place Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock.

Lloyd Aurand, of Milroy, accompanied by Robert Mickey, of Philadelphia, are visiting friends in Bellefonte. Mr. Mickey is a sailor on the United States Steamer "Monterey" and has circled the world twice, he is an up-to-date all around, good sailor "tar." Both young men rode from Milroy on their bicycles.

Sudden Death at Boalsburg.

On Friday afternoon at about 4 o'clock Mrs. Harry Gilmour passed away at her home in Boalsburg. Her death was quite sudden and unexpected and was due to heart failure.

The deceased whose maiden name was Minnie Stover, a daughter of Daniel Stover, was born at Centre Hall, Centre county and was 37 years of age. She is survived by her husband and six children.

She was a highly respected christian lady and a member of the Reformed church. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. A. A. Black officiating. Interment in the Boalsburg cemetery.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were recorded during the past week by Recorder J. C. Rowe.

John E. Royer et ux to Amanda M. Walker, March 1 1904, 107 A 4 P, in Miles Twp; considerations $6400

John W. Dunklebarger's adm. to John T. Noll, May 16 1904, lot in Spring Twp; consideration $310

B. H. Pike et ux to W. Fred Reynolds, May 6 04, 14 acres in Benner twp; considerations $1.00

W. Fred Reynold's et ux to B. H. Pike May 6 04, 16 acres in Benner twp; considerations $1 00

Henry Rinor et al to Frank Bittman, Mar 12 04, Rush twp, consideration $222

W. A. Lukens et ux to Laura J. Friday; Apr 4 04, Philipsburg; consideration $2500

Harriet T. Kurtz to Thomas J. Dale May 12 1904, premises in Bellefonte; considerations $500

D. R. Mulholland et ux to Joseph A. Heckendorn, May 2 1904, 120 acres, in Burnside Twp; considerations $1.00 etc

Moses Thompson's exrs to Ezra Smith, May 12 1904, lots in State College; consideration $342

William Garner et al to Hannah Royer Apr 12 1904, land in Ferguson Twp; consideration $3640

Wm. F. Kinney to W. T. Dillen, Apr, 9 1904, 26 A 150 P in Huston twp; consideration $360

William T. Kunes to Hannah E. Kunes May 12 1904, land in Boggs twp; consideration $10

Hannah Harris et al to Caleb E. Long Dec 22 1903, lot in Philipsburg; consideration $866.66 2 3

Brant D. Robison to Annie Long, Apr. 20 1904, lot in Philipsburg; considerations $400

Philipsburg Coal and Land Co. to Mrs. Annie Long, Feb 15 1904, land in Philipsburg; consideration $380

Sarah Heverly to Edwin Sunday, Aug 13 1902, 20 per in Spring twp; consideration $75

Wm. L. Goodhart et al to Sarah E. Foreman, Feb 19 1904, land in Potter and Gregg; consideration $3900

Death of Henry Krebs.

Henry Krebs, one of Ferguson townships best known citizens, died at his home in Pine Grove Mills Sunday night about 12 o'clock. Death was due to a general breaking down of the system incident to old age.

The deceased was born at Pine Grove Mills and was 70 years of age. All his life he followed the trade of carpentering and was quite successful in his line of work.

He is survived by his wife Mrs. Mollie Krebs and the following children: Mrs. David Saucerman, of Kansas, Frank and Daniel Krebs, of Pine Grove Mills; Mrs Charles Smith of Bellefonte.

Deceased was a member of the Lutheran church. In politics he was a life long Democrat. The funeral took place Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment in the new cemetery at Pine Grove Mills.

Honor Befalls Bellefonte Boys.

On Saturday Charles Larimer, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Larimer, was made manager of the Clearfield and Curwensville Telephone Exchangee, and the same day Charles Lukenbach, son of Abram Lukenbach, was promoted to the same position in Philipsburg and Winburne, Both young men are efficient and have proven themselves capable of filling positions which they have held with this Company in the past. We feel certain the future will be bright and prosperous for both of them.

The Matrimonial Market.

The following marriage licenses were issued during the past week by Register, A. G. Archey.

Clair Heverly	Beech Creek
Bertha Gardner	Howard
Wm. J. Torrence	Belle Centre, Ohio
Nell E. Bennison	Abdera, Pa
Nathan Oliver Vonada	Woodward
Annie Rishel	Madisonburg

—A new hotel is to be built at Clearfield. It will be seven stories in height, 125 rooms and well equipped with all the modern improvements.